## HTE GAZETTE.

### DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological report is furnished by the Colorado College Weather Bureau. Observations recorded in local time:

March 22, 6 p. m., to March 23, 6 p. m.

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| Temperature at 6 a. m. | 22 |
| Temperature at 12 m. | 46 |
| Temperature at 6 p. m. | 52 |
| Maximum temperature | 50 |
| Minimum temperature | 32 |
| Mean temperature | 41 |
| Max. barometric pressure, inches | [illegible] |
| Min. barometric pressure, inches | 24.22 |
| Mean velocity of wind, per hour | 6 |
| Max. velocity of wind, per hour | 17 |
| Relative humidity at 6 a. m. | 80 |
| Relative humidity at 12 m. | 71 |
| Relative humidity at 6 p. m. | 66 |
| Mean relative humidity | 76 |
| Mean dew point | 36 |
| Precipitation in inches | .04 |

**Weather Indications.**

Washington, March 23.—For Tuesday—Fair; southerly winds.

The first rains of spring came on Sunday afternoon.

Principal Turnbull of the High school is able to be out after a ten-days' illness.

Mr. J. W. Miller was able to be down town yesterday after quite a siege with pleurisy.

Miss F. L. Thomas announces her annual spring millinery opening in another column of The Gazette.

The city was full of railroad men yesterday, nearly every Eastern passenger representative located in the West being here.

There will be prayer service Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week at the Spruce street chapel. All are invited.

Stated convocation of Colorado Springs Chapter, No. 5, R. A. M., this evening at 7:30 sharp. Visiting companions are cordially invited to attend.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon Mr. J. P. Jackson, the county assessor, will give a talk to the pupils of the High school on the system of assessment in this State.

A suit for divorce was filed in the County Court yesterday by Judith L. Moad from William Moad, on the grounds of desertion. They are residents at Colorado City.

The Star entertainment course has an excellent attraction for the next entertainment. Mr. Spedon's chalk talk is one of the finest things on the American platform.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Arnold returned yesterday from Philadelphia, where they spent most of the winter. The Doctor took a special course at the Philadelphia polytechnic while away.

In the County Court the jury which heard the divorce suit of Gunn vs. Gunn, was out until Sunday noon. A verdict was then brought in in favor of the defendant, Mrs. Gunn, on her cross bill.

The Rathbone Sisters of Hermion Temple, No. 1, will give a tea Wednesday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock. All sisters are urgently requested to be present and to extend an invitation to their friends.

Mr. John Quinlan, who was the claim agent of the Midland road before the Santa Fe consolidation, and who has been in New York for the past year or two, has returned to the city and will probably engage in business.

Bennett & Chaplin of the Crescent agency, sold on Saturday to the Sisters of Mercy of Colorado, a house and lot in Manitou adjoining and to be used as an annex to the Sanitarium under the supervision of that organization.

Mrs. McGregor is now located in her new restaurant in the building just vacated by the Board of Trade. It is big, light and airy and is the best place that Mrs. McGregor has ever had in this city. Mrs. McGregor is prepared to do her share of caring for the big crowds that are evidently coming soon.

Half the well-known lawyers of Denver were in the city yesterday, and in fact, they are here most of the time. As this is where they get their business and where they stay most of the time it looks as if they would [illegible]. Among the prominent ones were J. F. Valle, C. S. Thomas, M. P. Taylor and Judge Downer of Boulder.

The Denver and Rio Grande company announces that commencing March 23, the sale of cut-rate tickets will only apply to train No. 1, leaving at 11:13 a. m., and train No. 11, leaving at 5:38 for Pueblo, and No. 9, leaving at 4:17 p. m., for Pueblo and the west, and to Denver for trains No. 2 and No. 10, leaving at 7:55 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

The California travel has begun and quite early. The hotels have begun to fill up with people returning from the coast, who have been spending the winter there. Sunday night every room in this city was taken and some of the hotels had to turn away people. The Antlers used the 12 new rooms in the annex last evening for the first time.

Oppenheim Bros., clothiers of this city, have purchased the lot corner North Weber and Monument streets and will start very shortly to build two modern residences. One will be occupied by Mr. William Oppenheim and the other will be rented. During the interval of building Mrs. Oppenheim will return to her former home in Chicago.

Charles Moreland was arrested Saturday evening for forging the name of F. C. Ogden to a check for $12. He had the check cashed at the People's restaurant. For some reason it was soon suspected and upon inquiry it was learned that Mr. Ogden did not bank with the El Paso, the bank on which the check was drawn. Detective Atkinson of the city force had the man arrested within a few minutes after he passed the check.

A special car arrived in the city yesterday carrying the Misses Morton of New York, daughters of Gov. Levi P. Morton of New York. It is a private car of the Southern Pacific road, and is stationed at the Denver and Rio Grande depot. The young ladies have been on a trip to California, chaperoned by Miss Harvey of England, and are now returning East. They are located at the Antlers and will remain until Wednesday.

Manager Mote of the ball club, states that he will sell the score card privileges and stand privileges to some reliable person or persons, also the fence advertising privileges. The prices that will prevail for admission this summer are as follows: General admission, 25 cents, grand stand, 15 cents; box seats, 25 cents; carriages, 25 cents. The season ticket books will be ready for distribution next week, which include seats in the grand stand. They are $7.50, and will be on sale at the different business houses. Mr. Mote has his office at 14 South Tejon street.

**Some New Suits.**

A suit was filed yesterday by J. S. McIntyre against the Midland Terminal Railroad company, in which $25,000 damages are asked. The plaintiff was a fireman on a passenger engine which ran into the rear of a freight train on a siding at Midland station last September. He was badly crushed and asks damages because of the negligence of the road. It is claimed that the freight train had not been pulled far enough on the siding to admit the passage of the engine on which plaintiff was working. Judge Morris brings the suit for the plaintiff.


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| 19 lbs Granulated Sugar with an Order | $1.00 |
| Large Sweet Navel Oranges, doz | .30 |
| Medium Sweet Navel Oranges, doz. | .20 |
| Farmer's Pride Flour, 100 lbs | 1.90 |
| Bonanza Patent Flour, 100 lbs | 1.50 |
| Rex Medium Hams, per lb | .10½ |
| Rex Large Hams, per lb | .10 |
| Rex Narrow Breakfast Bacon, by the piece, per lb | .09½ |
| 4 pckgs Scotch Oats | .25 |
| 2 lbs pure Fruit Preserves | .25 |
| 8 lbs Choice Navy Beans | .25 |
| 2 lbs Mexican or White Kidney Beans | .25 |
| 10-lb pail Choice White Fish | .65 |
| 10-lb pail Choice Herring | .65 |
| 3 cans Choice Sweet Corn | .20 |
| 4 cans Choice Cala. Tomatoes | .25 |
| 4 cans Standard String Beans | .25 |
| 1 can Winner Condensed Milk | .05 |
| 1 can Highland Cream or Crown Milk | .10 |
| Fresh State Eggs, doz | .11½ |

All who want to save money, carefully examine the above list. The low prices will surprise you when compared with what you pay elsewhere. Come early and leave your orders.

A. D. CRAIGUE.


**Spring Millinery Opening.**

Miss F. L. Thomas, 125 E. Pike's Peak ave., announces her spring millinery opening for Tuesday and Wednesday, March 24 and 25, when she will show a carefully selected line of French pattern Hats, Round Hats and evening bonnets. Miss Thomas selected these goods in person while in New York city, and it is the most complete line of millinery shown in Colorado Springs and is prepared to meet any demand from $2 to $25 hats.

**Easter Millinery.**

Miss C. A. Bacheldor, 106 E. Pike's Peak ave. announces her Easter opening for Saturday, March 28th.

Nothing like the chalk talk entertainment of Mr. Spedon has ever been seen in this town. High school auditorium March 26.

According to the Salt Lake, Aspen and Leadville papers, the Chicago Lady Quartet are playing to full houses and are giving the best of satisfaction.

**Spedon.**

A more delighted audience is hard to imagine than that enjoying S. M. Spedon's crayon talk at the Y. M. C. A. hall Tuesday evening. The subject selected was "Things We Laugh and Wonder At," which he skillfully handled. Mr. Spedon is an entertainer of rare genius, and a combined humorist, cartoonist and artist. He makes, in view of the audience, large, colored crayon sketches of the most interesting nature, and at the same time keeping up a chatty talk on the subject which sparkles from beginning to end with natural wit.—(Toledo Critic.

The Chicago Lady Quartette will be at the Coliseum next Friday.

The McGregor Cafe moved to 117 East Pike's Peak, are doing a better business than ever because they have more and better room, so can do more for their guests.

Spedon at the High school auditorium Thursday evening.

"Things We Laugh and Wonder At," Auditorium, March 26.

Ashley, the jeweler, has just received a nice lot of silver novelties, especially for Easter.

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We do as we advertise. Cure asthma, catarrh, deafness, consumption, and all kindred complaints by the discovery of the age, Wynn's Vaporizing Inhaler. Consultation and trial free. Located for a short time at Alta Vista hotel, March 23.

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Lawrence T. Fetterman, clairvoyant and business test medium; spiritual readings. Sittings daily from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. This week only. Ladies 50 cents; gents $1. 116 E. Vermijo st.

Daintiest colors in tiles at Mermillod's.

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Organize no classes, each pupil receives practical, individual training. No. 122 S. Tejon street; entrance No 123 E. Huerfano.

When you want your bicycle repaired get a mechanic to do it. Smith & Welling, Bicycle room 107 Bijou street.

Dr. Henry B. Hayden, dentist, El Paso block, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

New mantels are now in. See ad.
JOHN LENNOX.

Low's for fine stationery.

Miss F. L. Thomas will show her spring line of millinery on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 24th and 25th. A treat is in store for visitors.

Bicycles. Good ones to rent. 107 Bijou street.

The Fullerton Consumption Cure.

Special sale of Mackintoshes this week at The May—$4 up.

Wanted at once, a millinery apprentice at 128 E. Pike's Peak ave.

Dr. Henry B. Hayden, dentist. El Paso block, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

G. O. Taylor Whiskies, bring strength to the invalid.


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ASHBY, the jeweler, has his stock replenished after the holidays. See him for birthday and wedding presents if you want the best.

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| 9 room modern house on Dale | $2500 |
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| 8 room modern house on Columbia | 4700 |
| 9 room modern house on Weber st. close in | 3300 |

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If you have a severe cough you want a remedy that will stop it at once without any experimenting, as you have probably been through that before.

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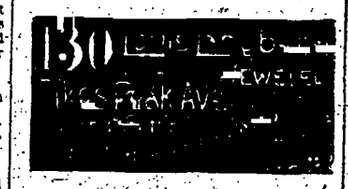


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| Sugar—16 lbs | $1.00 |
| Genuine New Orleans Sugar, 19 lbs. | 1.00 |
| Butter—Elgin Creamery | .30 |
| " Rock Springs Creamery | .25 |
| Flour Longmont Patent, 100 lbs | 2.00 |
| " Kansas, 100 lbs | 2.75 |
| 25 lbs Corn Meal—fine | .30 |
| Rolled Oats, 10 lbs | .25 |
| Potatoes—Late Ohio, per 100 lbs | .75 |
| 3 Cans Guaranteed Corn | .25 |
| 3 Cans Guaranteed Tomatoes | .25 |
| 3 Cans Guaranteed String Beans | .25 |
| 3 Cans Guaranteed Lima Beans | .25 |
| 2 Cans Succotash | .25 |
| 1 Gal. Can Apricots, Peaches, Pears Plums or Grapes | .50 |
| 1 Gal. New York Apples, per can | .25 |
| 1 Gal. Tomatoes | .25 |
| California Table Fruit, per can | .15 |
| 10-lb. pail Hammond's Pure Lard | .80 |
| Pickled Pork, Hammond's, per lb | .11 |
| Gold Band Hams, per lb | .16 |
| Fowler's Breakfast Bacon, per lb | 10½ |
| Cudahy Sliced Bacon, in ½ lb boxes | .15 |
| Comb Honey | .15 |
| Cream of Maize, 3 lbs | .25 |
| Mocha and Java Coffee, the finest line in the city 35, 40 and | .45 |
| Crushed Mocha and Java | .15 |
| Arbuckles, Lyon and XXXX, 2 pck | .45 |
| Maple Syrup, gal. can | 1.00 |
| Maple Syrup, ½ gal. can | .50 |
| 7 lbs Pure Pa. Buckwheat Flour | .25 |
| 5 lbs Choice Raisins | .25 |
| Fancy Cala. Layer Raisins, per lb | .20 |
| Turkish Imported Layer Raisins, per lb | .40 |
| 2 lbs Fancy Oregon Prunes | .25 |
| Large Silver Prunes, per lb | .15 |
| 4 lbs Choice Rice | .25 |
| 7 lbs Navy Beans | .25 |
| Armour's and Snider's Soups, per can | .35 |
| Fine Colorado Cream Cheese, per lb | .15 |
| Herkimer Co., N. Y., cheese, per lb | .20 |
| Fancy Queen Olives, per qt. | .85 |
| Sardines, per box, from 5 to | .40 |
| Figs, Cooking, per lb | .10 |
| Cala. Layer Figs, per lb | .15 |
| Turkish Imported, per lb | .25 |
| Oranges, per doz 20, 30 and | .40 |
| Lemons, per doz 25 and | .35 |
| Soap—White Russian, 27 bars | 1.00 |
| " Denver Water White, 28 bars | 1.00 |

Palace Grocery,

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The Every Day Prices of the

Three Mile Grocery Co.

March 18th.

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| Merit Creamery Butter | .25 |
| Choice Navel Oranges, per doz | .20 |
| 2 dozen Fresh State Eggs | .25 |
| 3 lbs. Mocha and Java Coffee | 1.00 |
| Gasoline, per gal | .20 |
| 4-lb. pckg Gold Dust | .22 |
| Pettijohn's Breakfast Food | .10 |
| 25-lb. sack Meal | .35 |
| 100 lbs. Ohio Potatoes | .65 |
| 2 lbs. Macaroni | .25 |
| 4 lbs. Choice Rice | .25 |
| 2-lb. pails Pure Lard | .28 |
| 5-lb pails Pure Lard | .45 |
| 10-lb. pails Pure Lard | .85 |
| Choice Pickles, per gal | .35 |
| Choice Lemons, per doz | .25 |
| 10 lbs. Hominy | .25 |
| 11 lbs. Rolled Oats | .25 |

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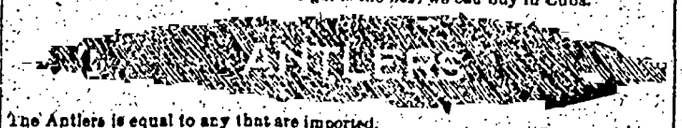


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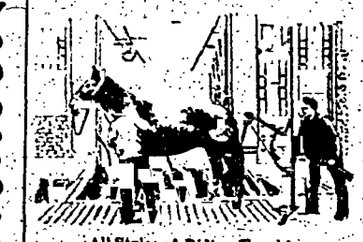

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# Mines, Stocks, Investments

## Colorado Springs Mining Stock Association.

Colorado Springs, March 23.—It was pretty generally the opinion that the market would open both strong and active this week but the showing made this morning did not substantiate those opinions, as but little business was done and prices were not at all favorable to buyers. Portland was one of the most active traders and at the same time about the strongest stock on the list. It started to sell at $1.52 and soon went up a cent, and then 2, and the last sale made was of 600 shares and was at $1.54½, giving it a very good showing. Union and Isabella were also good sellers, the first named being the busier of the two. It was credited with over 15,000 shares, which sold at from 59¾ to 60¾, and was making a better showing at the close than the opening. The same can be said of Isabella, which sold to the extent of 6317 shares, and went at from 55¼ to 56. Mollie Gibson was again busy, several 100-share blocks of the stock changing hands. It was weak in price, however, and was down at 53 at the close of the call after better than 5000 shares had been bought and sold. There was not much doing in A.-J., but it was strong at 62, although there was more offered at that figure at the close. Work was fairly busy, and improved from 15¼ to 15¾.

**Mines.**

| | Bid. | Ask. | Sales. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Argentum Junkata | 61¾ | 62 | 300 |
| Anaconda | 67 | 68 | ..... |
| Cripple Creek Con. | 17⅝ | 17¾ | 2000 |
| Favorite | 8 | 10 | ..... |
| Gold and Globe | .... | 22 | ..... |
| Gold Crater | .... | 5.00 | ..... |
| Golden Fleece | 1.58 | 1.62 | ..... |
| Ingham Con. | .... | 25 | ..... |
| Isabella | 55¾ | 56¼ | 6317 |
| Isabella (Stamped) | 55 | 56¼ | 2230 |
| Mollie Gibson | 54 | 55 | 7250 |
| Moon-Anchor | 70 | 72 | ..... |
| Pharmacist | 12 | 13½ | ..... |
| Portland | 1.55 | 1.56 | 3000 |
| Prince Albert | .... | 13 | ..... |
| Rebecca | .... | .30 | ..... |
| Rubicon | 20 | 24½ | ..... |
| Specimen | .... | .... | ..... |
| Theresa Gold | .... | .... | ..... |
| Union | 59½ | 60¼ | 15300 |
| Work | 15¼ | 15¾ | 2500 |

**Prospects.**

| | Bid. | Ask. | Sales. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alta Monte | .... | 2¾ | ..... |
| Alamo | 6¾ | 7 | 2000 |
| Bob Lee | .... | 1⅞ | ..... |
| Banner | .... | .... | ..... |
| Creede and C. C. | 5½ | 5¾ | ..... |
| C. O. D. | .... | .... | ..... |
| C. C. Gold Ex. | 16 | 16½ | ..... |
| Currency | 4 | 10 | ..... |
| Crœsus | 2¼ | 2¾ | ..... |
| Fanny Rawlings | 10 | 10½ | ..... |
| Findley | 2¾ | 3¼ | ..... |
| Franklin | 1¼ | 1½ | 6500 |
| Good Hope | 1 | 2 | ..... |
| Hayden Gold | 6½ | 6¾ | ..... |
| Ida May | .... | .... | ..... |
| Lillie | 6 | .... | ..... |
| Matoa | .... | 20 | ..... |
| Marion Gem | 1 | 1¼ | ..... |
| Magnet Rock | 1 | .... | ..... |
| Mt. Rosa | 13¾ | 14 | 5100 |
| Mobile | 2¾ | 3½ | ..... |
| New Haven | 4 | 5 | 3000 |
| Oriole | 3½ | .... | ..... |
| Pilgrim Con. | 3⅞ | 4 | ..... |
| Silver Gold | 1 | 1¼ | 1000 |
| Trachyte | 4¼ | 4½ | 1000 |

**Separate Sales.**

The separate sales in the listed stocks for the call were: Trachyte, 1000 at 4⅝; New Haven, 3000 at 4½ and 4¾; Mt. Rosa, 5000 at 14; Silver, 1000 at 1; Alamo, 1100 at 6¾; Franklin, 6500 at 1¼ and 1½; A.-J., 300 at 62; Consolidated, 2000 at 17¾; Golden Fleece, 300 at $1.60; Work, 5500 at from 15¼ to 15¾; Union, 15300 at from 59¾ to 60¾; Isabella, 6317 at from 55¾ to 56; Stamped I., 2230 at 55¼; Mollie G., 53500 at from 53 to 55; Portland, 3000 at from $1.52 to $1.54½.

**Unlisted Stocks.**

Acacia, 1000 at 6½.
Bankers, 2000 at 17¾ and 17½.
Squaw Mountain Tunnel, 6000 at 5½ and 6.
Jack Pot, 1500 at 8½ and 10.
Colorado City and M., 6000 at from 5¾ to 5½.
Jefferson, 6614 at from 21 to 26½.
Vanity Fair, 48,000 at 2.
Lottie G., 3000 at 1¾.
Arcadia, 500 at 9.
Gold King, 1000 at 53 and 55.
Elkton, 200 at 56.
Enterprise, 100 at 17.
Defender, 3500 at 1¼.

**High Park City.**

The town of High Park City, located in the new High Park Mining district, is now a city of twelve houses and twelve more are in the course of erection. About 22 lots have been sold and on the condition that houses be erected on the lots at once.

Some very promising discoveries are being made in the district. On one of the claims belonging to Mr. Curliss there is a shaft down to a depth of 40 feet and here the stuff runs from $10 to $38 per ton. Two wagon loads of the ore will be taken to the Florence reduction plant to be tested in a few days.

**The Jefferson Company.**

One of the most live looking stocks on 'Change yesterday was Jefferson, which started to sell at 21 but which was going at 26½ or 5½ cents better, at the close of the call.

The probable cause of the sudden rise was the annual meeting of the company held in Cripple Creek on Saturday which resulted in a change of the directors of the company, the following being the election made: G. W. Pembleton, George McLean, W. N. Gourley, Fred Walson, R. S. Grant, W. Chamberlain, George L. Goulding and R. S. Morrison. R. W. Pembleton was elected president, Fred Walson vice-president, George McLean treasurer and C. F. Hawkins secretary.

The company owns the Mattie L. lode on Gold hill, splendidly located, besides some claims on Grouse mountain. The Mattie L. is a producing mine which is being worked under lease. The royalties have just been increased about 10 per cent.

**Vanity Fair.**

There was a big rush after Vanity Fair stock yesterday afternoon and the brokers were after it, in some cases regardless of rules and regulations.

The officers of the company appeared to be somewhat at sea to account for the cause of it all but report that there is a very good showing in one of the company's properties, located in the north end of the camp, and that it is quite probable that shipments will start before very long.

**Foreign Capitalists Here.**

Messrs. Hamilton F. Kean, a well known Wall street banker, and H. Higgins of Paris, were in the city yesterday as the representatives of a large European syndicate which is interested in the Rebecca and Victor mines as well as in a number of other Cripple Creek properties. They expressed themselves as very well pleased with the camp. They have made an extensive trip through the State, taking in all the gold and silver camps and were very favorably impressed with the mining outlook of the State and particularly with Cripple Creek.

Mr. Kean said that the people abroad were much more enthusiastic over the camp than were those of his native city and also that he found that European speculators were very large holders of Cripple Creek stocks. In continuing he said he was of the opinion, and his opinion was shared by several large syndicates of Europe, that there will soon be a number of very rich mines to be discovered in Cripple Creek and based upon this belief was it that foreigners were taking up so many mines.

Mr. Higgins said that French capitalists considered the shipping mines very good investments at present prices, but that they considered the purchase prices of the prospects somewhat high. He said also that the crash at Johannesburg caused a distrust of Cripple Creek propositions for five or six months, but that Frenchmen were now going into our camp with as great freedom and eagerness as any of the investors. Messrs. Kean and Higgins will remain at The Antlers several days longer.

**Torrington.**

Although the Torrington Town company has only just started advertising a good many lots have already been sold and it would appear that it would not take very long before a large number of them were owned by individuals.

An article of some length about this company was printed in The Gazette last week, so that little need be said about it at this time.

The town controls its own water system and is in direct communication with Woodland Park by telephone and from there via the Western Union wires to all parts of the world. The new town is on the shores of a beautiful 40 acre lake and is surrounded by the beautiful pine covered mountains for which this region is famous. It is a desirable and healthful location in the midst of the new gold field of West Creek which gives promise of becoming great.

**The Blue Jay Investigation.**

The committee appointed to conduct the investigation of the Blue Jay deal on the part of the Colorado Mining Stock Exchange has lost no time in getting down to business. At the first session of the committee Lawrence Giffen, F. J. Gerahty and H. P. Keithley were examined. Witnesses who have testified report that the committee is getting down to the bottom of the deal by the most searching investigation possible. The session was continued yesterday, the committee meeting at 5 o'clock p. m. and remaining at work until a late hour last night. Nothing has been developed other than what has been already published. The newspaper men of the city were examined last evening. The inquiry will probably extend over several days.

L. F. Parsons, secretary of the Colorado Mining Stock Exchange, thus explained how he came into possession of 1000 shares of Blue Jay stock: "This stock was not voted to me by the company, but by the brokers on the floor of the exchange. It happened during the flurry on Blue Jay last Friday. Broker S. P. Beall sold 1000 shares at 14 cents, but in the confusion the name of the purchaser was lost. When we came to this item in calling off the sales some one on the floor moved that I should be allowed to purchase it. Ordinarily I am not permitted to trade in stocks, but under the circumstances I did not object, and my name was put down as the purchaser. Almost immediately afterward I sold the stock to Royer for 21 cents. The next day Royer defaulted in his settlements, and instead of making $70 or $80, as I had expected, I had to pay Beall for the stock, and am out not less than $100."

**Mining Versus Railroad Stocks.**

The following is from the weekly letter of the Crosby-Ehrich Investment Co:

"The criticisms of the Eastern press as to the so-called over-capitalization of our mining companies again calls for notice. As we explained in a previous letter, which was very widely quoted, the question of capitalization and par value of shares virtually makes no difference. It is only necessary to multiply the number of issued shares by the ruling market quotation to get at the valuation of the property, at which rate the investor buys in. As an example take the stock of the Bob Lee G. M. company. It is capitalized for 1,200,000 shares at $1 each. 35,000 shares still remain in the treasury, leaving the issued stock at 1,165,000 shares. Multiplying them by 1⅞c, which is the present selling value of the shares, we get the sum, in round figures, of $21,850, as representing the present market value of the entire Bob Lee property; and the intending purchaser must simply make up his mind whether there is a profit in buying any proportion of the property of this company on the basis of $21,850 for the whole.

"Of one thing we may be sure, viz., that the shares of every company represent some actual investment, no matter how small. In contrast, how is it with the shares of the railways companies of the United States? Anyone who is at all acquainted with the interior workings of railway organizations knows perfectly well that, in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred, through the jugglery of construction companies and excessive bonded indebtedness, the enormous stock valuation of railways represents not one dollar of actual investment. The actual cash invested is represented by the railway bonds, and the stock, standing for millions of money, represents an anticipation of possible future values and nothing more. That is exactly what our so-called over-capitalization of mining companies represents. When the Portland G. M. company was organized by our Mr. W. F. Crosby and capitalized for $3,000,000, it expressed perhaps nothing more than the reasonable hope and the probability that some day these 3,000,000 shares would be worth par, but in the last year they have sold at twice the par value. When the Mollie Gibson was capitalized on a basis of $5,000,000 it seemed absurd, and yet subsequently the shares sold up to a valuation of $11,000,000 for the property. When the Anchoria-Leland was capitalized at $600,000 it probably would have been called a ridiculous over-capitalization, but within the last few months the stock sold up to a basis of two and one-half times this capitalization. And so it goes. The capitalization, as we have said above, represents nothing but an eager hope; it deceives nobody, and it need only be considered in the light of reasonable facts to disappear as a subject of criticism on our mining methods."

**Current News.**

The next entertainment in the Star course will be Mrs. S. M. Spedon in his magnificent illustrated lecture on Thursday night at the High school auditorium.

The Mt. Nebo company has let a contract of forty feet on the Harrison lode, one of the company's seven claims on Big Bull hill and will soon erect a shaft house.

Mr. V. Z. Reed went to Cripple Creek Sunday night to look over the Moon-Anchor, Dante, Maria A. and Princess ground. He will be back to real estate again to-day.

The south half of the Summit lode on Squaw mountain has been leased by Mr. John M. Tell. The north half is being worked under lease by Mr. Givens and he is about to put a steam hoist on the property. Some ore has been shipped from the claim.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Virginia M. Consolidated Mining Company to elect a board of directors and to transact other business will be held at the company's office, Room 40 Hagerman building, on Wednesday, the 29th of April, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The ore body struck in the Ocean View, in the saddle between Battle and Squaw mountains, is holding out well. The prospects are consequently bright for the testees, Renshaw & Co., if the $200 ore continues in place.

The new steam plant that is to be placed on the Lucky Friday property, located in the Goldfield district, will enable the company to drift 100 feet, which they claim it is their intention to do. The development on that claim will no doubt be extensive this season.

The steam plant for the Spicer mine, located below the postoffice building and very close to Victor avenue, arrived yesterday and will be put up as rapidly as possible. T. S. Schlessinger of Leadville, the lessee of the claim, will make some substantial improvements on the property. A new shaft will be sunk.

At a depth of 52 feet on the Pine claim, on Big Bull mountain, a nice vein of phonolitic quartz was opened yesterday, carrying an average value of about $22 to the ton. The Pine adjoins the Spruce claim, and both properties belong to the Queen Victoria Gold Mining company. Some good reports are coming from this company's ground, on lots 45 and 52, section 16, on Grouse mountain, but what the ore values are was not learned.

The Tombigbee mine, near Lawrence, on the south slope of Squaw mountain, will be closed down to-day in order to prepare for the erection of a new machinery plant which has been ordered from the works of Thomas Crow of Denver. The shaft at the Tombigbee is now 125 feet deep and the mine cannot be worked with facility at that depth until a steam hoister is erected. The machinery will be here in about a week.

Owners of claims along the west slope of the Bare hills are very jubilant over a pan-test made from the New York lode, owned by T. H. Dunphy. Dunphy, at a depth of 20 feet, made a strike and from a small piece of broken rock about 15 rich colors were obtained and reputable parties who saw it and ought to know say it will run $40 to the ton at least.

Arthur Beaver of Victor, who has been up looking over the mineral indications on the recently opened Pike's Peak reservation, states that he and others have made a number of good locations in that district, which appears to be rich in mineral values.

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**Mines.**

Enterprise, 17¼@17¾, 7000.
Jefferson, 24@28, 1000.
Portland, $1.54@$1.57, 1900.
Union, 59½@59¾, 1100.
Work, 15¼@15¾, 500.

**Prospects.**

American Con., 3@3¾, 13,000.
Bob Lee, 1¾@1¾, 1000.
Colorado City and Manitou, 5½@5¾, 27,000.
Hayden, 6½@6¾, 2000.
Uncle Sam, 4½@4¾, 7000.

**Unlisted.**

Adams Ex., $6@$7, 11,000.
Buffalo, $1@$1.50, 20,000.
Crescent, $6.25@$6.75, 6000.
Manchester, $5.75@$6.25, 5000.
Pauline, $2@$5, 5000.
Bull and M. Hill, $3@$3.50, 5000.
1492 G. M., $1@$10, 100.
Henrietta, 1⅝@2, 5000.
Golden Treasure, $0.25@$0.50, 2000.
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Great Western E., 2½@2⅞, 1000.
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There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Gold Reserve Mining company at the office of Bernard & Barbee in Colorado Springs for the purpose of electing officers and transacting other business pertaining to the affairs of the company. Meeting to be held March 23, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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# MEETING OF THE COUNCIL.

## Comparative Calm Prevailed Among the City Fathers.

## DAMAGE SUIT THREATENED

### Residents in Beaver Valley Protest Against the Taking of Water by the City—The Oil Ordinances Were Again Postponed.

It was anticipated by many that there would be a high old time at the City Council last evening, but it turned out like a good many Colorado days, that the threat was the worst part of it.

Aldermen Nethers, Barnett and Watson were absent. Mr. Leech presided in the absence of the Mayor.

The clerk first read a notice signed by about twenty of the water takers on Beaver creek, and who live down the Beaver valley as far as Canon City, that they protest against this city taking water from the creek. They threaten to sue for damages for past and future water taken. This is supposed to be an intimation that the city will have a suit sooner or later about the turning of the water from Beaver creek into the Ruxton. The communication was referred to the water committee and city attorney.

A request for the right to conduct candy stands along the sidewalk of the parks was referred to the street committee.

The president appointed as a committee to prepare for the spring election, select judges, etc., Aldermen Nethers, Green and Bish.

Alderman Dunbar made a report on the matter of putting in 300 feet of water pipe in the Sherman addition, and after some discussion it was voted that the pipe should be laid as petitioned for. Mr. D. W. Robbins said that he intended erecting about ten houses there himself and he knows of about as many others.

The city attorney was instructed to draw up a resolution regarding a deed to a piece of land along Shock's run, which will be acted on at the next meeting. It is a useless piece of ground that Tom Ord is going to improve for a street.

Two bids were received for doing some rip-rapping and other work necessary at Prospect lake, and the work was let to Ord and Swope, the lowest bidders.

Last week the Gulf road laid another track in Saguache street, and now there is only 15 feet from the tracks to the fence line of the property owners. There was some discussion as to how much right the road has in that street. The matter was referred to the city attorney and street committee to investigate.

An ordinance regulating the conduct of the city marshal and police in regard to city election was read and went over under the rules.

A resolution changing the council rules chiefly affecting the arrangements of committees was adopted.

Consideration of all the oil ordinances was postponed with no dissenting voice.

An ordinance introduced last September regulating the weight of loaves of bread sold in the city, but which does not have the recommendation of the ordinance committee, was called up, but went over under the rules.

An ordinance providing for the printing of monthly and annual reports of the city clerk and city treasurer and the auditing of city accounts was brought up for discussion. Alderman Dunbar favored the ordinance as making definite provision for what had heretofore been done each year by resolution. The usual resolution was finally adopted by a unanimous vote of those present, and the ordinance dropped.

An ordinance fixing the responsibility for the water works on the city engineer was read. Alderman Dunbar explained that the city engineer is at present in reality held responsible, and that the ordinance was intended to definitely fix the responsibility. He hoped that the council would give careful thought to the matter.

Alderman Woodland characterized the proposed ordinance as pernicious.

Alderman Bish said that it was the most ridiculous he had ever heard.

Alderman Hughes said its effect was out and out displacement. He alleged that there was something behind it. "And I'll show it to you at the next meeting," he said. The ordinance went over.

A motion to place on passage an ordinance grading the compensation of police was defeated.

Millard Curtis appeared before the council and requested action regarding the lot he is seeking to recover from the city. After slight discussion the matter was laid over until Mayor Plumb's return.

Adjourned to next Monday at 7:30.

### HAPPY SURPRISE.

#### Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wheeler's Twenty-Fifth Anniversary.

Last evening was the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wheeler. While perhaps that worthy couple had not thought much about it, regarding it as very like other anniversaries that had come and gone, yet the members of Pike's Peak lodge of Odd Fellows had thought a good deal about it. At the last meeting a committee was appointed which went quickly to work to select a handsome present for them. Last evening the members, to the number of about 50 and about as many of the Rebeckas assembled at the High school building and about 8 o'clock walked down the hill to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, on Wahsatch avenue. They were not expected but that made no difference in the heartiness of their welcome, and everyone proceeded to have a good time. At the proper moment Mr. H. C. McCreery stepped forward and addressed the worthy couple. On behalf of the guests he presented them with a silver tea set of five pieces, a very handsome affair. It was a complete surprise and it did not take a very elaborate reply to show that Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler were happy in the knowledge that their friends so highly regarded them. Mr. McCreery's address was as follows:

Friends:—In view of the fact of this joyful gathering some explanation seems necessary.

Twenty-five years ago back in the far east, Brother Wheeler the bashful groom, and Sister Wheeler, the blushing bride, united their fortunes for time and eternity and vowed to tread the path of life together, to share each others joys and sorrows, and mark out and make their place in life one to be remembered and loved by all with whom they came in contact.

Brother and Sister:—You have now reached the twenty-fifth mile stone on your journey, hale, hearty and happy, and we are here to welcome you on your arrival and right glad are we to meet you. Twenty-five years—nine thousand one hundred and thirty-one days—a long time to love and live in the confidence of each other and your friends. Not all the days have been sunshine and joy, and thank God not all have been turmoil and trouble. Looking back over the past twenty-five years it seems but yesterday since you vowed each to the other for good or for evil, through sunshine and storm, and yet how many steps to reach the silver mile post. No one knows except those who have trod the same path.

Brother and Sister Wheeler, we present you this small token of our friendship and esteem, small in value but large in memory. Please accept the same in the kindly spirit in which it is given. May you live long to enjoy the memories which they will bring, and as you partake of the bounties of life, which these pieces of silver will aid you to enjoy, may you ever be grateful of the many happy hours spent with those who surround you this evening, and be assured that it is the wish of every one present, that the same sweet comforter which has sustained you in the past, remain and sustain you in the future; and when you shall have reached the Golden Milestone of fifty years, many will be there to bid you welcome; and when the final race shall have been completed, may you hear the welcome: "Well done, good and faithful servants, come up higher."

### Glee Club to-night.

The Glee club from the University of Denver will give a concert in the Opera House this evening. Accompanying the club are Mrs. McDowell, the amiable wife of Chancellor McDowell, of the university, and Miss Lucia E. Pattison, piano accompanist, a charming young lady of this year's graduating class. The club have been giving concerts in the principal towns of the State, and have been greeted by good houses. A Trinidad exchange says: Those who missed the concert last evening missed a great treat. The school could have no better recommendation than this Glee club—composed of eight fine young men, the accompanist, Miss Pattison, and the violinist, Mr. Fisher. Any school which can exhibit such students showing such spirit is to be congratulated. The cantata which closed the concert was the crowning success of the evening. It afforded opportunity for great variety of voice and action and was immensely enjoyed. The violin solo was most excellent and the player heartily encored.

### To Secure the Track.

Mr. L. A. Pease has called a meeting of all interested wheelmen for next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at Weber's bicycle store to organize a movement to build the third-mile bicycle track at the Roswell pleasure grounds. The Horse and Bicycle association have offered to go ahead with the track if the wheelmen will do their part.

It is something very much needed and will act greatly to our sports. Every wheelman should take an interest in it and help to get it completed before the spring meeting. All wheelmen are invited to the meeting, and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. Every wheelman is expected to do what he can to push it along. It is a good thing.

The Morath Investment company has moved to 174 Pike's Peak avenue, and will occupy the room with Grier & McCrea. This change was necessary because Mr. C. W. Hassall has decided to enlarge his restaurant and has requested all the renters in that room to vacate.

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### Easter Millinery.

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Dr. Henry B. Hayden, dentist. El Paso block. 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

### DIED.

LORD—In Colorado Springs, on March 22, 1896, Miss Elizabeth B. Lord.

Funeral services will be held from her former residence at Manitou this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HODGKINS—On Sunday, March 22, Lavinia A., widow of Walter C. Hodgkins, in the 83d year of her age.

Funeral from her late residence, 653 North Wahsatch avenue, March 24, at 11 a. m.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

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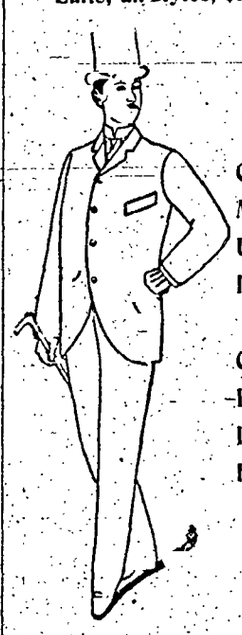
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.....Arr. [illegible]
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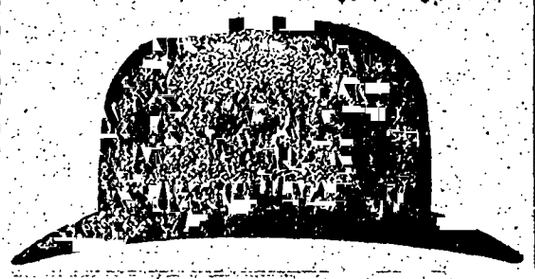
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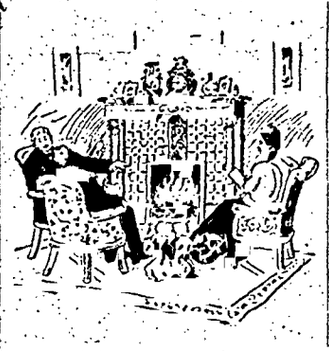
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F. S. McJOHNSTON.
For Alderman Fifth Ward,
J. A. LEECH.

## MORE NULLIFICATION.

Secretaries Carlisle and Morton, and sub. Bowler, having tried their hands at nullification, it seems now to be the turn of Hoke Smith. There was a very interesting debate in the Senate the other day in regard to the action of the Secretary of the Interior concerning the Uncompahgre Indian reservation in Utah. By the terms of a law passed some time ago, part of the lands of this reservation were to be divided in severalty among the Indians, and the residue of the reservation, amounting to about two million acres, was directed by the law to be thrown open to settlement, and the method of doing so was prescribed. The law was perfectly clear, and there was no way to evade it. The lands were granted in severalty; but then the Secretary of the Interior found that the remaining two million acres contained valuable deposits of asphaltum; and he thought perhaps the Congress did not know that when it enacted the law, and he thought that the government would get more for the lands containing those asphaltum deposits if they should be put up to public auction; so he did not carry out the rest of the law.

The matter before the Senate last week was a resolution requesting the Secretary of the Interior to carry out the law. The Senate knew all about the asphaltum deposits seven years ago; and it passed the bill providing for the opening of those lands to settlement with the full knowledge of their value. That was before anybody had ever found out Hoke Smith, and before he had ever found out anything about national affairs. It is natural for a greenhorn to take it for granted that what is new to him is new to other people; and so Hoke, supposing that these asphaltum deposits were entirely new and hitherto unknown, has taken it upon himself to suspend the operation of a law of Congress which is mandatory in its provisions.

It isn't Hoke's fault. He has got the idea, from the fountain-head of all wisdom, that if a law does not suit the executive department, that department ought to suspend the operation of the law until it can get one passed to suit it. That is the way Carlisle did about the purchase of silver in 1893; that is the way Bowler did about the sugar bounties; that is the way Morton did about the garden seeds; and there is no reason, if they do these things with impunity, why Smith may not do the same with regard to the Uncompahgre reservation in Utah.

The disposal of two millions of acres of land may not be a tremendously important thing in itself, although it is not such a very small matter; but the principle at stake here is very important, and vitally affects every department of the government. Ministers in other countries have been impeached for smaller crimes, before now, and ministries have been overthrown. Such a thing in France might lead to a revolution, and in [illegible] American republic than this or Mr. Bowler it very likely would.

The Constitution of the United States lays down certain powers to the Congress, [illegible] other powers to the executive. These powers are defined particularly, and along line of decisions by the Supreme Court furnishes a commentary on the construction of the Constitution so full that there need be little doubt about the meaning of most of its provisions as they apply to any existing or proposed law.

There is a provision in the Constitution that the President shall take part in making the laws, by giving or withholding his signature to proposed measures. After measures have received his signature, or have been enacted in spite of his veto, his duty of so doing ends. The President has no more discretion in the matter. It has sworn faithfully to execute the laws, and if he does not so, but tries to nullify those which in his judgment are not good laws, then he becomes a perjurer, and is subject to impeachment.

These are not pleasant words, but we don't know of any others which describe exactly the attitude of the administration.

## "A PLEA FOR JUSTICE."

Those Aspen people have taken Giles Otis Pearce's emblem again, for their municipal ticket; and they have done it without so much as saying "by your leave." The emblem is in the form of a circle, with the legend, "Free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold" around the outside, and the figures "16 to 1" in big type, inside. This emblem was devised by Giles Otis Pearce when he ran for Congress in 1894 as the "Independent Laborers Organized." He was aware at that time of the immense significance of the device, and of the probability that one day it might become the emblem of a great party, for he told us so when he brought us the design to insert in The Gazette; and not unnaturally he desired that his name should be linked indissolubly with this great idea, so that, as it should go echoing down the corridors of time, the listening echo-lockers should plainly hear reverberating down the back stairs of eternity the refrain, "Free, free, G. O. P." We wish therefore to give fair notice to those Aspen silver party people, that if they shall claim, when the new Silver party in this State is launched, and that device is adopted as its emblem, that they were the original silver-and-only-coinage-silver party, or that the emblem is theirs, we must dispute their claim, and throw them out of court. The emblem belongs, by right of discovery, to Giles Otis Pearce, metallurgist, chemist, philosopher, politician, statesman, writer, engineer, promoter, orator, inventor and capitalist. If he chose, he could have put on every emblem like this, "None genuine without our signature." Not only was he the originator of the emblem—he himself was the original silver party in this State, and for a long time contained it in his mitten. It will be rank ingratitude, worse than that of the Athenians when they banished Aristides, if the Silver-Silver party, when it organizes, shall not give to Giles Otis Pearce a foremost place on its ticket and in its counsels.

## "McKINLEY MONEY."

If Major McKinley is nominated for President at St. Louis, it will be largely because of the outrageous attacks that are making upon his character by malicious or ignorant persons. Here is a sample which we find in a little county paper, the Eastonville World:

"In the Thirty-second Congressional district of New York, which is in the western part of the State, he will be supported by two delegates, and the Morton boomers are very much surprised at the result of the caucus meetings held in that congressional district which plainly shows that money is already being used to boom McKinley, and make his nomination a sure thing at St. Louis.

"There is no doubt but that the McKinley movement, even in New York, is conceived, inspired and maintained by McKinley money. Anybody who knows his record knows he is a gold-standard man, and has said so. In a speech which he delivered in the South a year ago he said he would not run on any other than a gold-standard ticket.

"The platform adopted by the Republicans of Ohio is simply to strengthen McKinley in the west, and signifies nothing more than a political dodge gotten up by a few politicians and schemers."

Look at the assertions: That the surprise of the Morton men in New York is plain proof of the purchase of New York delegates by McKinley money; that "there is no doubt" but that the McKinley movement is inspired by "McKinley money"; that McKinley said, in a speech in the South that he would not run on any other than a gold-standard ticket.

Of course intelligent people know that McKinley never said any such thing; they know that he is a high-minded Christian gentleman, of the most sensitive honor and unimpeachable integrity; and they will be apt to resent such foul and nasty attacks as these. If ever a movement was a distinctly popular movement, it is that movement among the Republican masses for the nomination of McKinley. Attacks upon him like these, we have quoted will act only as boomerangs, and will aid greatly in securing votes for him.

In saying this, we do not wish to imply that the Gazette is for McKinley for the nomination; we do not believe it is a wise thing to declare for a candidate in advance of the nominating convention. We are for the candidate of the convention, whether it be McKinley or Allison or Reed or some other good Republican on a platform of protection and bimetallism.

## THE DIFFERENCE.

We find the following in the Denver Times:

"While the present administration has done all in its power to discourage the production of sugar, Germany is doing more and more to increase sugar beet culture and the manufacture of sugar in that country.

"The Democratic party took away from the American producers the bounty granted when the Republicans were in power and gave sugar beet culture a setback from which it has not recovered.

"In Germany a very different policy is pursued. A bill is now before the German Parliament which proposes to increase the bounty to 29 cents per 100 pounds on raw sugar and 31 cents per 100 pounds, or a third of a cent per pound, on refined sugar; and this on a calculated production of 1,750,000 tons.

"Germany doubtless sees in the exigencies of the Cuban rebellion an opportunity to extend the market for German beet sugar, and is quick to act upon it. Germany is wide awake and quick to serve its own interests. The United States is apparently asleep and indifferent."

It is evident that the Silver-Silver Warner editor was off duty, and the editor who wrote that had forgotten that he is not a Republican. The [illegible] beets, in Colorado, it is proposed to secure and the editor [illegible] to make an about policy the day after [illegible] carry out in the new-fashioned way of the Times.

Spring has come. We have had a shower, the birds are singing, the wind is blowing, the trees are leaving in play marbles, the horse [illegible] practice, upon the [illegible] of the circus will be around.

This sort of a [illegible] We wish that [illegible] to be [illegible] more interesting.

Don't forget that to-morrow is the day of the special school election and that you can't vote there unless you have paid your school tax for 1895.

Registration for the city election is closed. The number of voters is smaller than it should be, owing, mainly, to the lack of a real contest.

## Our Loss England's Gain.

England's extensive additions to her navy are a melancholy spectacle for this country for more reasons than one. Whereas, we haven't enough revenues to run the government, Great Britain has profited in cash by our free trade blunders three or four times the cost of her increased war fleet. If we had not inflicted upon ourselves a Democratic President and the monstrous folly of the Wilson law, we could, with a wise, economical and patriotic Republican administration, have enlarged our navy, provided coast defenses, kept out of new debt and made payments on the old debt, as every Republican administration has done.

When we come to figure out in dollars and cents the difference between Democratic and Republican rule the result is appalling. In his four years of administration President Harrison canceled $310,000,000 of interest-bearing obligations. Never once in that time did he allow the gold reserve of $100,000,000 to be invaded. Never once since this reserve was established has any Republican administration permitted it to sink beneath its proper level. Never once since the close of the war has a Republican administration failed to diminish the public debt.

But look at the result of three years of Cleveland's present administration! The gold reserve has repeatedly melted away like snow under a fierce sun. The record of General Harrison's reduction of debt has been more than offset. It has been wiped out and, despite the $200,000,000 paid off by Harrison, the public debt is more to-day than it was seven years ago. Grover Cleveland in three years has increased our interest-bearing obligations with four bond sales, the principal and interest of which make a total of nearly $500,000,000. The deficiency in the treasury further increases this cost to us of Clevelandism and free trade to nearly $224,000,000.

We can't get revenues enough for the expenses of the government. We can't keep the public debt from increasing as it has increased before only in war times. We can't make necessary appropriations. We can't pay our government clerks promptly. We defer payments to the Indians, to the army and to the navy. The richest country, the most powerful country and the country most favored by the prince of fortune is a debtor that dodges around corners to escape its petty creditors, because its mills have been crippled by a wicked law and its wage earners impoverished beyond previous experience.

And England! Her shops, factories and mills are running overtime. Her wage earners are buying more to eat, drink and wear than at any time since this nation began to flourish under protection. She builds enormous war fleets, spends millions on naval and military displays, has abundant revenues and rejoices in her making hay while the sun shines.—(N. Y. Press.

## A Prognostication.

How the returns will read next November:

Majority for McKinley in Pennsylvania, 50,000; Democratic vote, 42,000.

Majority for McKinley in Massachusetts, 250,000; Democratic vote, 25,000.

Majority for McKinley in Virginia, 100,000; Democratic vote, 75,000.

Majority for McKinley in Kansas, 150,000; Democratic vote, 60,000.—(Topeka State Journal (Silver).

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the clerk's office of the District Court of El Paso county and State of Colorado, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the sum of six thousand, one hundred, thirty-five and 10-100 dollars ($6,135.10) and costs of suit, [illegible] certain judgment recently obtained against The Home Run Gold Mining company in favor of William P. Rockefeller, Charles H. Pond and William F. Fisher, co-partners doing business under the firm name of William P. Rockefeller & Co., out of the lands, tenements, goods and chattels of the said The Home Run Gold Mining company, I have levied on the following property, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of the above defendants in the Home Run Lode Mining claim (U. S. Survey No. 8873), said claim being situated in the Cripple Creek mining district, in El Paso county, State of Colorado.

Therefore, according to said command, I shall expose for sale, at public auction, all the right, title and interest of the above named The Home Run Gold Mining company in and to the above-described property, on Friday, the 24 day of April, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon, at the east front door of the county court house in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Dated this 6th day of March, 1896.

W. S. BOYNTON,
Sheriff of El Paso County.
By W. L. COOK, Under Sheriff.

Hall, Preston & Babbitt, Attorneys.
Date of first publication, March 12, 1896.
Date of last publication, April 2, 1896.

## Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received at our office until 3 o'clock p. m., Saturday, March 28th, for the erection and completion of a two-story building for the Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, on what is known as the "Kretschmer Triangle," bounded by Union, Victoria and Grand avenues. Separate bids will be received for plumbing, steam heating and electric wiring. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of John F. Bishop, Architect, No. 217½ South Union avenue, Pueblo, Colo. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

H. F. SHARPLESS & Co., Agents.
421 Santa Fe Ave., Pueblo, Colo.

## Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the firm of Wood & Arcularius, watchmakers and manufacturing jewelers, was dissolved on or about the thirteenth of February, 1896, and a new firm following the same occupation has been formed known by the style of Whiteside & Arcularius, who will continue to do business at the old stand, 123 North Tejon street. Please call and see us. Respectfully,

WHITESIDE & ARCULARIUS.

The annual meeting of the Bob Lee Gold Mining Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 15 North Tejon street, Colorado Springs, March 27th, 1896, at 8 p. m., for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The books will close March 24th, and reopen immediately after the final adjournment of said meeting.

W. G. MCALL, Sec'y.

## Dissolution of Partnership.

[illegible] Pettigrew & Skinner has been dissolved by mutual consent. All outstanding accounts will be settled at 20½ North Tejon street.

JOHN PETTIGREW.
HERBERT SKINNER.

Notice is hereby given of the annual meeting of the Sangre de Cristo M. & M. Co. to be held at the office of L. E. Sherman, Dexter Block, Colorado Springs, at 8 o'clock p. m. on 20th day of April, 1896.

[illegible] Secretary.

Colorado Springs, March 16, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Franklin Gold Mining company will be held at the office of the company, in North Tejon street, Colorado Springs, Colo., at 8 o'clock p. m. on the 6th day of April, 1896, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year.

W. L. COOK, President.

## Notice to Dividend.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Mexican Gold Mining company will be held at the office of the company, No. 15 North Tejon street, Colorado Springs, Colo., on the 6th day of April, 1896, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Transfer books will be closed as soon as March 30th, and reopened on April 6th, 1896.

C. H. MOISE, Secretary.


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## NOTICE.

School Bonds—Special Meeting of District No. 11, El Paso County, State of Colorado:

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with a petition of more than 20 legal voters of said school district No. 11, a special meeting of the legal voters and taxpayers of said district will be held at the High School on Platte avenue at one-thirty (1:30) o'clock p. m., on Wednesday, March 25, A. D. 1896, for the purpose of submitting to such qualified electors of said district as have paid a school tax therein in the year next preceding this meeting, the question of contracting a bonded debt of said district for the purpose of erecting and furnishing school buildings and especially for the purpose of enlarging the Garfield school building by six rooms, furnishing the same and equipping the whole of said building with a modern system of heating and ventilation. The amount of bonds proposed to be issued is twenty thousand ($20,000) dollars, to bear interest at five (5) per cent. per annum.

The polls will be open from two (2) o'clock p. m. till five (5) o'clock p. m. Voting will be by ballot. Ballots will read, "For the Bonds," and "Against the Bonds."

This meeting is called and held under and by virtue of sections 44, 45 and 90 of an act of the general assembly of Colorado approved March 23, 1877, as amended by the Second, Third, Fourth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth general assemblies, and other provisions of said act hereto relating and in accordance with section 7, article XI., of the constitution of Colorado.

CORA E. HUDSON,
Secretary of School Dist. No. 11,
El Paso County, Colorado.

Dated March 4, 1896.

## Proposals for Gillett Water Works.

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the incorporated town of Gillett, until 6 o'clock p. m., mountain time, April 8, 1896, for making, piping, hydrants, building of, and re-tapping of reservoir, to complete the water works system of said town.

Plans, drawings and specifications can be obtained or seen at the office of the City Clerk.

Bidders will be required to furnish a certified check, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, equal in amount to two (2) per cent. of the bid submitted, which amount will be forfeited to the city in the event of the failure or refusal of any successful bidder to enter into contract with good and sufficient sureties.

Payment will be made in cash, or water bonds of the town of Gillett, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per cent. per annum; bids for cash or bonds to be accepted at the discretion of the board.

The board reserves the right to accept such proposals as it may deem for the best interest of the city, or to reject any and all proposals; said proposals to be addressed to the City Clerk of the city of Gillett.

CHAS. KINNEY, Mayor.
Attest:
ELLA M. McCLURE, City Clerk.

## Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mexican National Construction company, to elect members of the board of directors and transact such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting, will be held at the principal office of the company, at Colorado Springs, in the State of Colorado, on the first Monday of April, 1896, at twelve o'clock noon. The transfer books of the company for the transfer of stock will be closed on the 16th day of March, 1896, at 3 o'clock p. m., and remain closed until the adjournment of each meeting.

JNO. PRATT, Secretary.

March 7, 1896.

## Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the P. G. S. of A. Building, Loan and Investment Association, of Colorado Springs, Colo., will be held at the office of the secretary of said association, No. 11 East Pike's Peak avenue, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Saturday, March 28, 1896, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. H. THEMING, Secretary.

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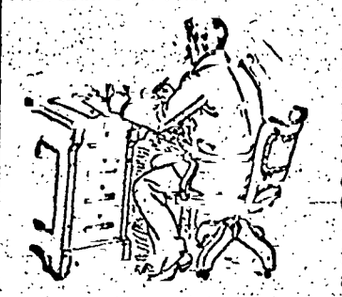

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WANTED To engage with well-established real estate, insurance and mine broker (not stock broker), either as partner or on salary. Am not an invalid; have had extensive experience in real estate and insurance; two years deputy U. S. mineral surveyor; have examined and reported on mines; references. Call on or address R. E. L. M., 732 N. Weber.

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WANTED—Men, women and children to try Prof. C. W. Wynn's Vaporizing Inhaler, Alta Vista, March 23, for limited period.

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FOR SALE—Several seats upon the Board of Trade, at reasonable figures. M. F., care Gazette.

FOR SALE—Tent, at 309 S. Wahsatch.

FOR SALE—Corner lot, 50x165 feet, $175 down, balance 5 years, 7 per cent. interest; one block from Antlers hotel. Address P. C. Winne, 5 E. Kiowa st.

FOR SALE Cheap: two-seated surrey. 14 S. Tejon st.

FOR SALE—A house and lot, 414 E. Cache La Poudre. R. H. Purington, Trinidad, Colo.

FOR SALE—2 excellent business chances: A retail business, doing a business of $20,000 a year, central location; price $7500. A grocery business, long lease, cheap rent, good business; invoice about $1700.
COTTEN & TURNER,
Business Chances, 116 E. Pike's Peak.

FOR SALE—Or trade for good mining stock: New piano and sewing machine. A. S. Tyler & Co., 114 E. Kiowa st.

FOR SALE—All kinds of mining propositions; shipping mines, patented claims, and prospects. We do not load our mining propositions; we only ask a fair commission.
COTTEN & TURNER,
Mines and Stocks, 116 E. Pike's Peak.

FOR SALE Very desirable home on N. Tejon st., south of College park, has all modern improvements. Call at 109 West Huerfano.

FOR SALE—My residence, corner N. Nevada ave. and St. Vrain st. Lot 85x150. L. A. Giddings, 21 S. Tejon st.

FOR SALE Suburban lots and acreage. Our choice suburban lots are going rapidly. They are unsurpassed for beauty of location. Plenty of water and shade; close to car line. This property on your own terms.
7-room house and very large lot, $2500.
5-room house and lot with 50 bearing fruit trees, $1600.
6-room house in Ivywild, $1800.
7-room house, modern, with 1¾ acres planted to small fruit, $3500.
6-room house, $2000.
6-room house, new, will give buyer two acres of land free. This is the solemn truth. Price $1300.
COTTEN & TURNER,
Real Estate, 116 E. Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred barred Plymouth Rock and Black Langshan cockerels. Inquire at 218 S. Tejon st.

FOR SALE—A 4-room house, modern, 636 E. Platte ave.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Furnished house of three rooms in Woodland Park. Price $700.
COTTEN & TURNER,
Real Estate, 116 E. Pike's Peak.

FOR SALE—Furnished 11-room house, 257 Manitou ave., Manitou, Colo.

FOR SALE—Cheap:
2 lots corner N. Nevada.
2 lots corner N. Weber.
3 lots corner N. Wahsatch.
2 lots N. Tejon, south of reservoir, a bargain.
Improved property in all parts of the city.
10 room house, store room attic, cellar under kitchen; lot 95 by 190. Centrally located, this improved suburban property is only a step from city limits.
A snap; four room house and three lots in East Manitou; will take part mining stock.
A. S. TYLER & CO.,
114 E. Kiowa.

FOR SALE One gas office or room heater; also a lot of Persian and other rug patterns. Competent agents can net $10 per day. The Beach Brokerage and Loan Co., Exchange block.

FOR SALE One complete set bowling cups and dyes, from ¾ inch down to 3-32, new. Address Box 563.

FOR SALE—William typewriter. Visible writing, permanent alignment and portability are some of its features. R. W. Hemenway, agent, 116 Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—A ranch wagon and team, can be seen at 23 S. Weber. Inquire of J. W. D. Stovell, 111 E. Kiowa st.

FOR SALE—Seat on Board of Trade. J. L. Mitchell, room 2, Bank block.

FOR SALE—Three second hand bicycles at 15 Gazette building.

FOR SALE—4-room house, Willamette, $1100.
4-room house, Willamette, $1100.
4 " " Belleview, $1850.
4 " " Chestnut, $1250.
4 " " El Paso st., $1600.
4 " " Boulder st., $1600.
5 " " Cascade ave., $2000.
5 " " Nevada ave., $2700.
5 " " Weber, $3600.
5 " " Dale, $1000.
5 " " Willamette, $1500.
6 " " Kiowa, $2300.
6 " " Maple, $1200.
6 " " Pike's Peak, $2700.
6 " " and 8 lots, St. Vrain, $100.
7 " " Lincoln ave., $2700.
7 " " Boulder st., $2700.
8 " " Bijou st., $2700.
8 " " Weber, $4000.
8 " " Nevada, $4700.
10 " " Kiowa, $4500.
10 " " Willamette, $4000.
10 " " Nevada, $7500.
Some of these are regular snaps; the balance are positive bargains. We wish to call special attention to our suburban property in another add.
COTTEN & TURNER,
Real Estate, 116 E. Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—160 acres under ditch, in the "Celebrated Delta Fruit Section," for $700. The appraised valuation is $2000. The best bargain we ever offered. The Colorado Loan and Mortgage Co., Bank block.

FOR SALE—Shoe stock, Colo. Springs, good location, low rent. See J. L. Mitchell, room 2, Bank block.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred buff leghorn cockerels, the finest in the State; also common hens. Call at 615 E. Cimarron.

FOR SALE—Lease and bond, 17 months to run. Full patented claim, centrally located. Low royalty. Best prospect in Cripple Creek district. Address Miner, Box 369, Cripple Creek.

FOR SALE 1 Shetland pony. Inquire at H. T. O'Brien's harness shop, 18 S. Tejon st.

FOR SALE Chickens breeding; breeding stock, laying hens and pullets, at Barett's poultry plant. Go west on Rio Grande st. across the creek.

FOR SALE—A few high scoring Buff Cochin chickens; also pedigreed Scotch collie puppies. Inquire at 710 W. Pike's Peak ave. Chas. E. Smith & Son.

FOR SALE—Restaurant. Call room 30, Bank block.

FOR SALE Cheap, if taken at once. Lot on S. Cascade ave. Apply 28 Pike's Peak ave.

LOST—You are losing an opportunity to buy property cheap from
COTTEN & TURNER,
116 E. Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—Patented 40 acres, Cripple Creek; $2,000 cash if sold at once. Hamilton, Gazette.

FOR SALE—7 mining claims near the Lincoln mine. C. W. Kurtz, 15 N. Tejon.

FOR SALE—Counters, case and shelving, room 3, Midland block.

FOR SALE—A steam peanut roaster in No. 1 running order, used only one season, cost $350, will be sold cheap. Apply to F. A. Allen, 13½ E. Huerfano st.

FOR SALE—
4 room house and lot, $900.
10 room house and lot, $3000.
New peanut roaster, $75.
Cigar mfg's outfit, $75.
National Employment Co.

FOR SALE 8-room brick house in Florence, and 1 acre of land; fine improvements; easy terms; part trade; price $3500. This is a particularly fine bargain.
COTTEN & TURNER,
Real Estate, 116 E. Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—Dairy ranch of 950 acres, ½ mile from Eastonville creamery. Call at 915 Grant ave., city, or address J. D. Ross, Eastonville, Colo.

## TO TRADE.

TO EXCHANGE 80 acres clear land in central Michigan for mining stock. Address with particulars, W. H. Lyman, city.

CRIPPLE CREEK mining stocks to trade for anything. J. W. Ryder, Tavern House, cor. Nevada and Huerfano.

TO TRADE Good mining stock for good ranch team and wagon. Address P. O. Box 402; state where team can be seen.

TO TRADE—Stocks for lots in Colorado City or west side. O. P. Hine, 104 Pike's Peak ave.

TO TRADE One-half interest in claim near Victor mine, for well-located house and lot. A. L. C., 22 E. Huerfano.

TO TRADE—Farms and town property in Nebraska for property anywhere. Address 504 E. Willamette.

TO TRADE—We have few good trades on hand. Call and get particulars. Ogle & Merritt, Room 30, Midland Block.

TO TRADE 3 room-house, barn, lot 55x200; car line; no incumbrance; will trade for equity in city home. C. E. L., Gazette.

TO TRADE—Bank stock, ranches, mining stock, for property in Colorado Springs. Bring your trading propositions to us.
COTTEN & TURNER,
116 E. Pike's Peak ave.

## DRESSMAKING.

DRESSMAKING, in private families satisfaction guaranteed. Call or address I. V., 213 N. Weber st.

MRS. H. L. STEGER, dressmaking, 512 E. Kiowa st. Guarantees satisfaction.

MISS WALDRON has rooms at 603 N. Wahsatch ave., where she will continue dressmaking, also go out by the day. Satisfaction guaranteed.

DRESSMAKER from one of the large establishments of New York, desires a few customers by the day. Terms $2. Address W. Gazette.

MME. CORBETT, 125 S. Nevada ave., invites ladies desiring the services of thoroughly competent designer of artistic robes and costumes, to call on her and inspect her latest styles and fashions. Fifteen years experience on best work. Eastern styles and prices duplicated.

## BOARD AND ROOMS.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping, or board if desired. 211 N. Weber.

TO RENT—Desirable rooms with board at 111 E. Platte ave., opposite North Park.

TO RENT—Rooms and board, table board if desired; new house, newly furnished, modern convenience, terms reasonable. 429 E. Willamette.

TO RENT—Rooms and board at 522 N. Tejon st. Mrs. McManus.

TO RENT—Rooms and board at Mrs. Henderson's, 229 East Willamette.

TO RENT—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Harrison have leased the Sanford house, and it is now opened as a private boarding house; No. 5 Boulder Crescent (continuation of Platte ave. for one block west of Cascade ave., and third street north of Antlers hotel). Telephone 252.

TO RENT—Delightful rooms, single and en suite, with board, from March 24th. 101 E. Boulder, corner Tejon.

TO RENT—Furnished room, terms reasonable; also day boarders wanted. 703 N. Cascade.

FIRST-CLASS Board and rooms, modern conveniences, terms reasonable, at 624 N. Weber, two blocks from car line. Mrs. J. Davidson.

ROOMS and board, cheap at 18 W. Cimarron st.

TO RENT One bright sunny room at Ye Chelten Inn, cor. Pike's Peak and Weber.

TO RENT—Four bright sunny rooms, with board; special terms for winter; also table boarders. 101 E. Boulder, cor. Tejon.

TO RENT—Rooms and board, table board if desired; new house, modern conveniences; terms reasonable. 419 East Platte ave.

TO RENT—Desirable south room with board at 114 E. Platte ave., opp. North Park.

TO RENT—Bright sunny rooms, with board, day board if desired. 712 North Tejon.

TO RENT—Newly furnished rooms with board; best of references. Mrs. Zevely, 211 N. Cascade.

## TO RENT.

TO RENT 1 room house, $25; 2 room unfurnished, $10; one furnished room $10; 7 unfurnished room house, $25. National Employment Co.

TO RENT—Three down stairs rooms for housekeeping. Apply 522 E. Kiowa.

TO RENT—Furnished, one or two large pleasant front rooms, south exposure, electric light, bath, hot and cold water. 204 E. Dale st.

TO RENT—Large sunny rooms; 229 N. Cascade ave.

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, to parties without children. Call at 124 E. Huerfano.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 12 E. Boulder.

TO RENT—Newly-furnished rooms, all conveniences. 317 St. Vrain.

TO RENT—Furnished, four very pleasant rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping with modern conveniences. Call at 634 E. Platte ave.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for rent. Ogle & Merritt, Room 30 Midland block.

TO RENT—One block rice garden land; also one barn for five horses. Inquire at 523 N. El Paso.

TO RENT—5-room cottage in East Colorado City, one block north of car line, at $7 per month. 125 Lincoln, Colorado City.

TO RENT—Sunny furnished rooms at 125 N. Weber.

TO RENT—Furnished cottage. Address 820 S. Cascade ave.

TO RENT—5-room house, furnished, for one year. 427 E. Platte ave.

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms at 525 E. Boulder st.

TO RENT—Two rooms with board, at Miss Maygard's, 529 N. Nevada ave.

TO RENT—Suite of 2 rooms, nicely furnished, good location, gentleman preferred. 224 E. Huerfano st.

TO RENT—Newly furnished rooms and board. Table boarders desired. Address 107 S. Nevada ave.

TO RENT—One furnished room and one unfurnished. Apply 22 Franklin st. No invalids.

TO RENT—Furnished pleasant front room, modern conveniences. 429 N. Weber st.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for gentlemen at 13 North Nevada avenue.

TO RENT—2 sunny unfurnished rooms, 14 N. Oak st.

TO RENT—Furnished, seven room cottage, bath and electric lights, can be seen from 1 to 4 p. m. 14 E. Monument.

TO RENT—Unfurnished 6 room house on N. Wahsatch st. J. F. Carpenter, 109 E. Kiowa.

TO RENT—Furnished room, 112 South Corona.

TO RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. 503 W. Bijou st.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms, 318 Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—Two connecting front rooms—furnished—very desirable. 603 N. Nevada ave.

TO RENT—Three pleasant rooms, furnished for light housekeeping. 516 E. Boulder.

TO RENT—Bright sunny rooms with board. Table board $5 per week. 712 N. Tejon.

TO RENT—Large barn, 5 Boulder Crescent.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms in new modern house, mountain view, reasonable prices, no invalids; gentlemen only. 325 South Nevada ave.

TO RENT—A 12 H.-P. engine and boiler in good condition, mounted on wheels; will rent, sell or trade for good mining stocks. Address George H. English, Box 131, Victor, Colo.

TO RENT 4 rooms unfurnished, bath, hot water, up stairs, (no children); $30 N. Corona st.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms, pleasant, steam heat, electric light, unsurpassed view of mountains. Close to business center. 18 West Kiowa.

TO RENT—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Ogle & Merritt, Room 30, Midland block.

TO RENT—Lakeview Terrace boarding house at Green Mountain Falls, the most popular and best paying house in the mountains. Also, the large bath house building, with its laundry, barber shop and bowling alley. Apply at 31 North Tejon st.

TO RENT One nice furnished room. Room 3, Midland block.

TO RENT—Neatly furnished rooms with board, south and east exposure; all conveniences; suitable for either ladies or gentlemen. Address 515 N. Nevada.

TO RENT—Good barn with corrall, 17 West Costilla.

TO RENT—Six room furnished house, 1408 Washington ave.

TO RENT—Two large furnished rooms, 204 Conejos st., $10 each.

TO RENT—One of the finest suburban residences near Colorado Springs, every modern convenience, completely furnished, ample stabling, sheltered location, Unsurpassed view. Crescent Agency, No. 5 Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—Pianos, organs and sewing machines. Hext & Williams, 21 North Tejon st.

## TO RENT.

TO RENT—1 room furnished for housekeeping; 619 N. Walnut st.

TO RENT—Rooms with board; table boarders desired. 606 N. Nevada.

TO RENT—4 room cottage in Colorado City, $10 per month. Apply to 17 E. Verijio.

TO RENT—Cottages at Green Mountain Falls. For descriptive circulars address J. H. Jewett, Green, Colo.

TO RENT—Pianos, organs and sewing machines at Aiken's music store, 121 Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—The most attractive small furnished house in the city for rent until July 1; $20 per month. Will not be rented to sick people or to family with children. P. O. Box 562.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms at 815 N. Tejon st.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

BROKERS AHOY! Lawton & Co's. Simplex Printers and Duplicators for sale. No washing. Hurry S. Collins, agent, Box 725, City.

FOR every description of carpenter's work, parquet floors, grill work, etc., send postal to Hill, 215 N. Cascade.

WE make quick sales and guarantee satisfaction on sales and rents. Ogle & Merritt, Room 30, Midland block.

GIVE us your good building lots if you want a quick transaction. Ogle & Merritt, Room 30, Midland block.

ALUMINUM cooking vessels at Swain's 121 S. Tejon, for one week. Call and leave your orders. J. M. Raymond.

CHAS. T. WALKER is going to ship a car load of horses to New York about the first of April, and has room for about seven more. Any person desiring to get a horse back to Chicago, Buffalo or New York, can get the benefit of a low rate by inquiring at the El Paso Stables.

WE MAKE a specialty of buying and selling mining properties. Herring Inv. Co., room 23, Midland block.

PLACE your houses in our hands if you want to sell or rent them.
OGLE & MERRITT,
Room 30, Midland Block.

RANCH suitable for dairy; one mile southwest of town, joining Ivywild. J. H. Bruening.

LIST your property for sale or rent with The Herring Inv. Co., room 23, Midland block.

FOR Estimates on house, sign and carriage painting address Pugh Bros., at Sanderson Bros.' commission house, 14 E. Huerfano, or 645 W. Huerfano st.

WANT to rent a room or have a room for rent, call at room 23, Midland block.

IF YOU have real estate or mining property for sale, houses or rooms to rent, list with us for quick returns. Mount & Motz, 104 E. Pike's Peak ave.

SEE our list of bargains in another column. Mount & Motz, 104 E. Pike's Peak.

WE KEEP a special agent in Cripple Creek and challenge any one to duplicate our mining propositions. Come and examine. Mount & Motz, 104 E. Pike's Peak.

EVERY vacant house or room in the city can be rented if you place them with OGLE & MERRITT, Room 30, Midland Block.

BUSINESS CHANCE—I have at my disposal a half interestt in an old established firm, dealing in real estate, insurance, loans, mines and mining stocks, to a man with some capital and business ability. Call on J. S. Gibson, 116½ Pike's Peak ave.

WILL EXCHANGE new goods for old. 124 E. Cucharas st.

IF YOU have anything to trade, call at room 23, Midland block.

WILL PAY CASH for second-hand furniture, stoves and carpets. 124 East Cucharas.

HEMORRHOIDS or Piles cured without pain or detention from business. Refer by permission to H. C. Clay, 612 Sierra Madre st., Geo. Stringer, 120 Conejos st., C. W. Conger, engineer Crystal Ice plant, and various others. Ladies need have no hesitation in being treated. Room 11, Postoffice block.

TO INVESTORS: 100x150 feet, only four blocks west of Antlers on Pike's Peak ave., on car line, just the thing on which to erect fine houses to rent; price $1500; will cut up. Verner Z. Reed & Co.

HOUSES raised and moved, stone work and excavating a specialty. W. S. Long, Box 770.

WE have a nice furnished house to rent. Come early if you want it. Ogle & Merritt, Room 30, Midland Block.

SHORTHAND Another class of beginners commences work March 2. Bert P. Mill, Instructor, Room 76, Bank building.

INTELLIGENT, capable lady (30), ten years office experience, rapid and correct stenographer, typewriter and bookkeeper, with abundant and first-class references from present and former employers, desires position commencing Feb. 15th. Address H. L. Gazette.

WALL paper, 3 cents a roll up. Send postal to 1?? East Rio Grande for 400 patterns from Alfred Peats, agent. Prize designer.

BICYCLE Muffs for sale at Wilbur's and Wahl's.

EASTHOLM, the only winter hotel at Cascade Canon; good board and rooms by day or week, at reasonable rates. This is only 45 minutes ride from Colorado Springs. Mrs. A. Jay, Proprietress.

AN A 1 business chance. Address J. M. J., 12 Midland block.

A LIMITED number of horses and cattle taken to pasture one mile north of town. Good grass, good water, good shelter. Horses called for and delivered. Apply at Windmill Ranch or address P. O. Box 305.

A MASCOT—Rabbit cat, half rabbit and half cat, without tail. G. H. Frank, 517 S. Cascade.

W. F. HUNT, 119 Pike's Peak ave., has some very interesting propositions on Cripple Creek patented (and in process of being patented) properties.

LEAVE your orders for home-made Ralston bread, doughnuts, cookies, pies, etc., at 107 Cheyenne ave.

SEE W. F. Hunt if you would purchase a home or desire to sell your property. Loans. 119 Pike's Peak ave.

## LOST.

STOLEN A ladies' Ideal bicycle No. 2662, satin finish, Palmer tire; $10 reward if returned to F. E. Robinson.

LOST—A lady's gold watch, return to 929 N. Nevada and receive reward.

LOST—From in front of my residence, a small bicycle with odd pedals and considerably worn. Please return to 117 N. Nevada. J. P. Barnes.

LOST—Between Colorado Springs and Colorado City and Balanced Rock, green card case containing money. A suitable reward awaits its return to 24 College Place.

LOST—Gold side comb; return to Miss Morgan, 21 E. Columbia and receive reward.

LOST—Young pug dog; had bell on neck; reward. 115 S. Nevada ave.

LOST—A feather boa, somewhere between the opera house and 219 E. Platte. Finder will return to 315 E. Platte.

LOST—A purse containing money, check and other papers. A liberal reward if returned to Gazette office.

$15 REWARD Lost or stolen, Cleveland Bicycle, No. 21,159, model 13. Return to 107 E. Kiowa. J. A. Connell.

## TO LOAN.

MONEY, MONEY, at 6, 7 and 8 per cent., $200 to $2000. J. P. Curtis & Co., Room 53 Bank block.

TO LOAN—Money to loan in sums to suit, on real estate; low rates. N. S. Gundy, 115 E. Pike's Peak.

MONEY to loan upon all active stocks at low rates of interest. Stocks bought sold and carried upon margin. Stocks exchanged for real estate, equities, etc., or vice versa. Call upon or address E. Wolfe, 116 E. Pike's Peak ave. Eight years experience in the stock commission business.

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate on long time and small monthly repayments, less than rent. Assurance Savings and Loan Association, 109 E. Kiowa.

LIFE Insurance Policies purchased for cash; liberal treatment. J. L. Mitchell, Room 2, Bank block.

$25,000 TO LOAN—

Highest of all in Leavening Power. Latest U. S. Gov't Report

# Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE.

### CHURCH CLAIMS LANDS.

**An Alaskan Case That Dates Back to Russian Possession.**

Washington, March 23.—The Secretary of the Interior has submitted to the Secretary of State a decision showing the extent of his authority in the claim of the Greco-Russian Church to certain lands in Sitka, Alaska, which, by order of the President of June 21, 1890, was set apart for military reservation purposes.

Nicholas, bishop of the Greco-Russian Church of Alaska and Aleutian islands, claimed they belonged to the orthodox church of Sitka and had been taken from that church and wanted them returned, as the church was entitled to them as a gift by the Russian government at the time Alaska was transferred to the American government.

The church requested the Interior department "to have the lands unlawfully taken returned to the orthodox parish of Sitka;" "to have a survey made of all church lands in Alaska;" and "to affirm the right of ownership of the parishes to their lands in the same manner as was given them by the Russian government at the time Alaska was transferred to the American government."

In reply to the last two requests, Secretary Smith says it can only be said that Congress has not provided any method by which the extent of the titles of these claims can be determined and until then the department cannot pass upon them. As to the inclusion of any church property within the limits of an executive reservation, the President has authority to modify any order covering land by reducing the limits of the reservation so as to exclude that erroneously included.

The Secretary in his letter to Secretary Olney says that the reservation mentioned is partly under the jurisdiction of the War and Navy departments, and suggests that the secretaries of these departments consider the matter and lay it before the President.

### AMERICAN ATHLETES.

**Two Teams Will Compete at the International Games in Greece.**

New York, March 22.—The teams of the Boston Athletic association and Princeton University, which will represent American athletes at the revival of the Olympic games at Athens on April 5, left New York Saturday on the Sonne German Lloyd "Fulda." The teams will disembark at Naples and take the overland route to Greece.

The Princeton team is made up of Robert Garrett, Jr., of Baltimore, Md., who will captain and have charge of the quartet; Frank A. Lane, '97, of Franklin, O.; Albert C. Tyler, '97, of Wyoming, O., and H. P. James, '97, of Peoria, Ills. The team went on board the steamer shortly after 9 o'clock. Each of the representatives of "Old Nassau" wore a yellow tulip in his buttonhole and bouquets were showered on them by admiring fair ones.

The Bostonians came on the run just before the gang-planks were drawn in. T. E. Burke, Arthur Blake, Ellery H. Clark, J. P. Curtis, W. Welles Hoyt and Gardner Williams comprise the Boston delegation. The men from Boston did not carry as many floral tributes as the collegians, but the rally cry of the B. A. C. was none the less in evidence. "Johnny" Graham will have charge of the Bostonians, and the party also included Sheriff O'Brien of Suffolk county, who will witness the games.

The teams will arrive at Athens April 3.—The games begin on April 5 and last until April 15. The athletes who will carry the honor of the Stars and Stripes in the land which was the home of heroes and the delight of poets, can scarcely be called a representative American team. But too much praise cannot be given to the organization that sent them out. Whether the teams bring back golden wreaths from "Ancient Greece" or not, the fact remains that to the Boston Athletic association and Princeton University remains the honor of having stepped into the breach. The portion of the programme in which the brawn and muscle of America will be pitted against all-comers is as follows:

One hundred, 400, 800 and 1500 meters foot races; 110 meters hurdle race; putting shot and discus; pole vault; running high and broad jumps and long distance races from Marathon to Athens.

All the men are in fine condition. Jack McMasters has had the Princeton men hard at work for the past three weeks. McMasters said that he was afraid that the voyage will throw the men off a little, but thinks the Greek climate will not be as hard on the men as the English climate would be. The Boston team is also trained to a hair.

By arrangement with the steamship company, provisions have been made to enable the men to practice on board during the voyage.

### AN ANSWER FILED.

**The Michigan Southern Defends an Important Railway Suit.**

New York, March 22.—The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway company, one of 32 railroad companies defendant in the suit of the United States against the Joint Traffic association, has filed its answer with the clerk of the United States Circuit Court. In substance the document recites that the Joint Traffic association is not incorporated; is not a common carrier, and is not engaged in the transportation of freight and passengers nor in trade. It admits that all of the defendant companies are common carriers, either separately or in connection with one another, but denies that any of them have been otherwise engaged in interstate commerce or that they have been engaged in any trade or in relation to any article or commodity within the scope of said agreement."

It is denied in the answer that the joint traffic agreements entered into on Nov. 8, 1895, is in anyway unlawful or that it is intended to restrict honest competition or to establish rates of fare or freight. The joint traffic agreement, it is alleged, does not surrender the control of traffic to the board of managers although the agreement authorized and believes that [illegible] rights to do. It is the purpose of the association to prevent the ruinous competition and the payment of rebates and commissions, which are ruinous to legitimate railway traffic. The [illegible] by the board of managers [illegible] only so far as to give [illegible] their pro rata share.

In conclusion, the answer declares that the railroad companies parties to the agreement are not, nor is the Joint Traffic association, subject to the prohibitions of the act of Congress entitled "An act to [illegible] that unlawful restrictions and monopolies, approved July 2, 1890."

The answer of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway company is said to be identical in substance at least and probably in text to the answers to be received from the other defendant companies.

### Mr. McVicker's Will.

Chicago, March 23.—The will of the late James H. McVicker, the theatrical veteran, was filed in the Probate Court today. The estate is actually valued at $150,000, but only one-third of it is shown in the court record, because $50,000 worth of his property was given to his widow before his death, $25,000 of it being in McVicker's Theater stock. All else remainder is left to Mrs. McVicker and the only son, Horace, manager of Abbey's Theater, New York.

### LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colorado, for the week ending Wednesday, March 18, 1896.

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(One cent due on each.)

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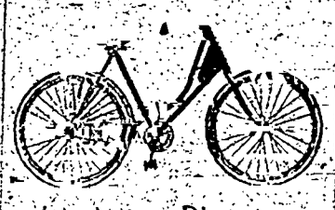

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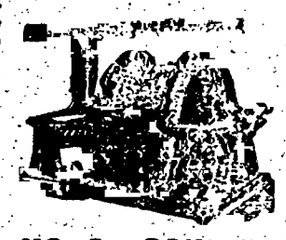

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## FAVORITE SON OF NEW YORK.

### To-day's Convention Will Declare for Levi P. Morton.

### ANTI-MACHINE MEN PROTEST.

**They Are for "William McKinley, Prosperity's Advance Agent"—A Notable Gathering at Cooper Union—Resolutions Adopted.**

New York, March 23.—The preparations for the launching of the Morton boom were completed to-day and there is every indication that the sentiment of the Empire State Republicans will be voiced by to-morrow's convention in a manner that will attract the attention of the nation.

Notwithstanding the discomfort and uncertainty of traveling at this season of the year, no more thoroughly representative body of Republicans ever met in this State than that which is expected to assemble to-morrow noon to present New York's favorite son as a candidate for President. Hundreds of men who have for years participated in the councils of the party and thousands of younger men who compose its active working force in their several localities are gathered here to testify to their admiration for Gov. Morton.

**A Convention in the City.**

New York contains many visiting statesmen and politicians every day, but a political convention is something of a novelty. While all the parties conduct their national and State campaigns from this city, they have been in the habit of going elsewhere to nominate their candidates. Whether or not it was considered by the committee in naming New York as the place of this convention it is thought by many of the delegates that the metropolis, with where social and commercial life Levi P. Morton had been so intimately associated, should be the starting point of his formal entrance into the field as a Presidential candidate. The holding of a convention in New York is as much of a novelty to the delegates as to the city. Instead of being confined to one or two hotels, they have scores from which to choose, and the result is such a scattering of the visitors that it is difficult for them to realize that they are attending a State convention. They seem to enjoy the new experience of plenty of elbow room and breathing space.

Since noon to-day it has been snowing hard, and from present appearances to-morrow will be equally disagreeable. The Grand Central Palace, at the corner of Lexington avenue and Forty-third street, in which the convention will be held, is a spacious auditorium with two galleries, and as arranged for this occasion will have a seating capacity for 6,000 people. A portrait of Gov. Morton, flanked on either side by the State and city flags, occupies the position of honor above the proscenium arch, but otherwise the decorations are entirely of the national colors.

**To-day's Proceedings.**

The arrangement of the details of work to be done by the convention has progressed under unusual difficulties to-day on account of the indisposition of ex-Senator Platt and Chairman Hackett of the State committee. Mr. Platt, whose side is still sore from the effects of his fall, last Friday, remained in his room all day, seeing few visitors. He hopes, however, to be able to attend the convention.

The convention will assemble at noon, and after the address of Senator Cornelius B. Parsons as temporary chairman, and the appointment of committees, a recess will be taken probably until 8 p. m. At the evening session, after the report of the committee on contested seats, the permanent organization will be effected with Congressman George B. Southwick as chairman. The business of the convention will occupy but a small part of the evening, but after it is concluded the convention will be resolved into a ratification meeting. Ex-Senator J. Sloat Fassett, Edward Lauterbach and other prominent orators of the party are expected to speak.

## M'KINLEY'S FRIENDS.

**New Yorkers Form a League To Support His Candidacy and Adopt Strong Resolutions.**

New York, March 23.—The McKinley boom in New York City was launched to-night at Cooper Union, and although the weather was very inclement and a miniature blizzard raging outside, the big hall was packed with people. In the center of the platform was a crayon picture of ex-Governor McKinley. The frame was made of tin plates to remind the audience what McKinley had done for the tin industry of the United States. At the bottom of the picture was a banner on which was inscribed the following: "The anti-Machine Republican Organization of the City and County of New York."

On the right of the platform was a banner on which was inscribed: "The Republican party stands for an honest dollar and the way to earn it," and on the left was another banner bearing the words: "William McKinley, prosperity's advance agent."

The anti-Platt element was present in considerable force.

Major H. L. Jerome called the meeting to order and nominated W. G. Swayne for chairman. In doing so, Major Jerome said:

**For President McKinley.**

"It does not require a Daniel to read the writing on the wall 'President of the United States,' under that picture of Mr. McKinley. It has become evident that the 'Favorite Son' candidacy of this State will not materialize. It is therefore necessary as well as politic for the Republicans of New York to declare themselves for one who will lead the victorious ranks of the Republicans next November. That is the object of this meeting. It is useless for politicians to ignore figures of the returns that are coming in from all the States or to try and juggle them into anything but an overwhelming majority for McKinley.

"The cry, from now on until success crowns us next November will be the people of the United States against bosses and bossism, with McKinley for our standard bearer.

"McKinley, 'the advance agent of prosperity,' the friend of the workingman, is the embodiment of all that the Republican party holds most dear.

"McKinley's opponents to-day in this city and State, and the country generally are the men who have debauched and besmirched the good name of the Republican party by fraudulent enrollments and primaries. His enemies are our enemies. His friends are our friends. His principles are our principles, the eternal principles of the Republican party and with him as our leader our success is assured."

**Fighting the Machine.**

General Swayne received a most enthusiastic greeting. He denounced ring parties and said McKinley was against the machine. Governor Morton's name was hissed once when General Swayne mentioned it, but the speaker quickly repressed the hissing and said that Governor Morton had rendered valuable service to the State. He said that he had hoped that the name of Governor Morton would go before the national convention without any opposition, but that hope could no longer be sustained and that McKinley was the choice of the country.

General Swayne said that a combination of machine proprietors had become a threatening aspect in the situation. But the Republican party did not propose to tolerate the rule of any boss or combination of bosses and did not intend to have in the cabinet of the next President of the United States any one who was known as the proprietor of the Republican machine.

"The voice of the country" said he, "is for McKinley and it is not an unwise thing for us to support him."

The name of Governor McKinley was received with the greatest enthusiasm and was cheered again and again.

General Swayne then introduced Senator Frank D. Pavey, who reviewed briefly the history of the Republican party and its more prominent leaders and then told how William McKinley was admitted to the ranks of the Union soldiers by John Fremont and traced McKinley's career thence forward to the present time.

**The Resolutions.**

When Senator Pavey had concluded John Millholland read the following resolutions which were adopted amid great uproar of applause:

Whereas, It is apparent that William McKinley is not only a logical candidate for the Republican party for President, but also the choice of a large majority of Republicans and,

Whereas, The chief obstacle in the way of his nomination in the coming convention seems to be a combination of political bosses, including the leaders of the New York State machine, which opposes Mr. McKinley because of his steadfast refusal to comply with their demands to mortgage the presidency in their interests, and,

Whereas, There is reason to believe that if for any reason Governor Morton cannot be nominated, persons who maintain a proprietary interest in the party organization and control its action throughout the State will represent that the vote of the delegation from this State is henceforward a perquisite to be disposed of at pleasure in bargaining for political consideration in future,

And, whereas, There have been intimations apparently emanating from the New York State machine that should Mr. McKinley be nominated against its wishes, he would be compelled to look elsewhere for support in his canvass than to the so-called regular party organization in this State, therefore be it,

**New York's McKinley League.**

Resolved, That we, Republicans of the City and State of New York in mass meeting assembled, organize ourselves into a political body to be known as "The McKinley League of the State of New York," and,

Resolved, That the object of the league's activity shall be to procure by all lawful and honorable means, the nomination of Mr. McKinley at St. Louis and his election at the polls in November. Be it further,

Resolved, That the immediate work of carrying into effect these resolutions be placed in the hands of a committee on organization to be elected here to-night, and said committee to consist of not less than 15 members.

**A Working Committee.**

It was then moved and seconded that the chairman be given the power to nominate 15 persons who should form the executive committee of the McKinley league of the State of New York.

General Swayne then selected the men who will form the active committee.

Edward Mead of Texas, who was next introduced, said the South would do its share to nominate and elect William McKinley. The South was now prepared to endorse protection and would vote solidly for McKinley at the St. Louis convention.

Among the other speakers were the Hon. Geo. E. Matthews of Buffalo and Mr. A. H. Steele, deputy commissioner of public safety of this city. The singing of "America" by the audience and glee club brought the meeting to a close.

## MINNESOTA'S VOTES.

**Most of Them at St. Louis Will Be Cast for McKinley.**

St. Paul, March 23.—The Republicans of the Second, Third, Fourth, Sixth and Seventh Congressional districts to-day selected delegates to the St. Louis convention. Six of these delegates are instructed for McKinley, two for Davis and two others for Davis with a queer proviso. In the Fourth district, of which St. Paul, Mr. Davis's home, is the greater part, a resolution was adopted that two delegates should vote for Davis, unless their votes should jeopardize the chances of McKinley, in which event they should be cast directly for McKinley. The resolutions in all the districts declared strongly for protection. On the money question all the districts declared for sound money except the Seventh, which declared for the largest possible use of silver.

There will be over 1,000 delegates in the State convention to-morrow. The indications to-night point very strongly to a McKinley victory. In this event Senator Davis will have but two sure votes in the national convention, those of the Sixth district.

**Silver Wins in Tennessee.**

Nashville, Tenn., March 23.—The State Democratic committee met here to-day and instructed for two conventions, on May 5th and 7th. The latter is the main convention, however, as it will name delegates to the national convention, appoint presidential electors and nominate a candidate for governor.

Silver Democrats carried every point by surprising force, the votes being 14 to 4. Chairman Carroll, in his official call, concludes as follows, indicating triumph of the silver idea:

All voters of the State, regardless of past party affiliations, who are willing to assist in the maintenance of Democratic principles and to support the nominees, are cordially invited to participate in the selection of delegates to these conventions.

Congressman Josiah Patterson departed from his recent intention and did not attend the committee meeting.

**Delegates for McKinley.**

Marion, Ills., March 23.—At the Republican convention here to-day delegates were appointed to the State, Congressional and Senatorial conventions. Instructions were given for McKinley for President.

**New Mexicans Not Instructed.**

Las Vegas, N. M., March 23.—The New Mexico Republican territorial convention to-day elected delegates to St. Louis. They are uninstructed.

**Captain Sweetzer Dead.**

Bloomington, Ill., March 23.—Capt. A. C. Sweetzer, ex-commander of the Illinois division, Grand Army of the Republic, died suddenly of heart failure, aged 57.

**The Gold Reserve.**

Washington, March 23.—The treasury gold reserve at the close of business to-day amounted to $127,053,005. The withdrawals for the day were $228,150.

**A Monroe Monument.**

Washington, March 23.—Mr. Jones of Virginia offered in the House to-day a bill appropriating $50,000 for the erection of a monument to the memory of James Monroe, the author of the Monroe doctrine, at Fredericksburg, Va.

## SPAIN IS IN EVIL PLIGHT.

### Increasing Difficulties Both at Home and in the Colonies.

### REVOLUTION IS THREATENED.

**Strong Opposition to the Present Ministry—Spanish Republicans Counting Their Chances—Latest News of the Struggle in Cuba.**

(From a Staff Correspondent of the United Press.

Havana, March 21.—(Via Tampa, Fla., March 23.)—Spain, with rebellion growing apace in Cuba, tokens of coming revolution at home, dangers of war with the United State, exhausted credit and Cortes dissolved, pending new elections, is in a perilous position.

Political leaders were who are well informed say that the crisis is not far off. One of the Reformists said to-day: "When Canovas succeeded Sagasta, the Cuban rebellion was just begun and Sagasta, who was supported by the fusionists, offered him support in whatever measures should be adopted to suppress the trouble. But Canovas, evidently lacking confidence in the support of Sagasta and the Fusionists, who with the Republicans form a majority in the Cortes, and fearing a coalition with the Carlists and other dissatisfied factions, for the purpose of crushing him, decided to dissolve the Cortes and with all the government machinery at hand obtain a victory over his opponents by returning a majority in this favor in the new Cortes.

**General Weyler Consulted.**

"With this end in view, he consulted Gen. Weyler as to the possibility of holding elections in Cuba. Weyler not only replied that it was possible, but telegraphed his guarantee that they would take place. Then Canovas issued the decree dissolving the Spanish Parliament. Now when it has become manifest that no elections can be held in Cuba and Sagasta has taken a hand and denounced the action of Canovas in allowing the Cortes to be dissolved at this critical period, the political chaos that has followed is indescribable. The Reform and Autonomist parties in Cuba have refused to take part in a bogus election, and the Reform party in Spain talks of remaining away from the polls and what the outcome will be no one can tell.

"It will not be surprising if the Republicans, who have been gaining in strength for some time, should improve the opportunity to overthrow the monarchy."

**Many Small Encounters.**

Many small encounters, but no important battles are reported with numerous bands of insurgents. The rebels are reported to have fired upon the forts at Quivican, province of Havana. The towns of Barron, Bacurano and La Galleta, east of Havana, were also attacked and stores and several houses were burned. The stores were plundered before the torch was applied.

Among the rebels killed in the fight at Ruby Hills were two of the insurgent leaders. The rebels lost altogether eight killed. In the recent engagement between the rebels and the troops after the landing of filibustering expeditions near Cardenas, the insurgents lost 11 killed. The troops had only two wounded.

Gen. Bernal reports having had an encounter with rebel parties led by Roges and Aurelio Belancourt, who has assumed the name of civil governor of the province of Havana. The fight took place on Estrella plantation. Several insurgents were captured.

J. FRANK CLARK.

**Anglo-American Diplomacy.**

London, March 23.—The United Press learns from the foreign office that a document amending the blue book on the Venezuelan matter recently issued by the government will be ready at the end of the week. The document will contain no new facts, the alterations which it makes being mainly clerical. It will point out, however, that alleged discrepancies have been looked into and certain omissions supplied.

The statement that Great Britain had reduced the Yuruan claim to £1,000, and that Venezuela had agreed to the reduction, is confirmed.

In regard to the negotiations touching the arbitration of the Venezuelan dispute the foreign office states that the exchange of communications between the foreign office and the American Department of State is being conducted with extreme caution on both sides, but that the negotiations are proceeding favorably.

**Uneasy Boers.**

Pretoria, March 23.—A very uneasy feeling has suddenly arisen here regarding President Krueger's acceptance of Mr. Chamberlain's invitation to visit London to discuss Transvaal affairs. The influence of the Hollanders is gaining ground. They are hostile to the visit and to any friendly settlement of the question between the Transvaal and Great Britain. They are irritated at the success of President Krueger's action during the crisis.

**Will Study in Egypt.**

London, March 24.—The dispatch of the British Soudan expedition has caused a number of members of the House of Commons to decide to spend the Easter parliamentary recess in Egypt, where they will study the situation thoroughly.

## MONTANA'S MINERALS.

**Omcial Report of the Production for 1895 of Gold, Silver and Copper.**

Washington, March 23.—According to a report made by Mr. L. H. Braden, assayer in charge of the United States assay office, Helena, Mont., by whom the collation of statistics of the production of precious metals in that State was made by direction of the director of the mint, the production of gold and silver for the calendar year 1895 was:

Gold, 209,320 fine ounces, of the coin value of $4,325,000; silver, 17,201,656 fine ounces, of the coinage value in silver dollars of $17,856,862.

Mr. Braden also reports the copper product of Montana for the calendar year 1895 to have been 291,003,992 pounds, of the value of $21,114,589, and the lead output he places at 24,189,501 pounds, of the value of $1,451,350.

The increase in the gold output in Montana since November, 1894, is $676,000; silver output shows an increase for the same period of 4,881,000 fine ounces.

## BANKERS AGREE.

**A Call For Action to Support the Present Gold Standard.**

New York, March 23.—The American Bankers' association is sending to all of the bankers of the United States a circular as follows: "At a meeting of the executive council of the American Bankers' association held in this city March 11, 1896, the following declaration was made by unanimous vote:

"The executive council of the American Bankers' association declare unequivocally in favor of the maintenance of the existing gold standard of value and recommends to all bankers and to the customers of all bankers the exercise of all their influence as citizens in their various States to select delegates to the political conventions of both of the great parties who will declare unequivocally in favor of the maintenance of the existing gold standard of value.

"Your influence in earnestly requested to give practical effect to this action."

## DEATH IN THE MINE.

**Thirteen Men Instantly Killed by an Explosion of Coal Gas in a New Mine Near Dubois, Penn.**

Dubois, Pa., March 23.—The first great mining disaster in this neighborhood during all the 15 years of mining, occurred at 3:30 o'clock this morning at the Berwind-White shaft just east of town. It came in the form of an explosion of mine gas, and resulted in the death of 13 men, all of Dubois. The names of the dead follow:

James Graham, Sr., James Graham, Jr., who was working with his father; John Monroe, George Postlethwaite, Isaac Postlethwaite, Henry Harvey, George Harvey, Harry Smith, Lindsey F. Bradley, Andrew Mowak, David Bell, Reuben Noble, George Ainsley.

All of the dead leave families except James Graham, Jr.

As soon as the explosion occurred and before the extent of the disaster was known messengers were sent into town to summon all of the physicians who could be found. When the news reached Rochester mines, which are three miles from the shaft the men who were working there divined that the services of good practical men would be wanted under the ground, and about 40 at once came out and started to the shaft. Conveyances were found for some and others went as far as they could by the street cars and walked the remainder of the way. Supt. Reed of the Rochester mines followed and as soon as he arrived at the shaft went below with a cage full of his own men.

The air was so bad below that the men who went down in gangs of ten could not stay long at a time, but the opening seemed to clear up later on and better progress in getting at the extent of the disaster was made.

About a thousand people were at the scene in an hour, including many of the friends of those underground, but as far as possible the reports were kept from the families of those who were dead until the bodies could be recovered.

Seventeen men went down the shaft at 7 o'clock in the morning, 13 going into a heading north of the shaft and the other four in the opposite direction, and the latter, with the mine boss, were the only ones to escape the terrific shock. The four men were half a mile from the shaft and shortly after 9 o'clock they felt what they believed was the shock following an explosion of gas. Immediately after Mine Boss Harvey came running toward them and directed them to hurry to the foot of the shaft. When they came to the shaft they ran into a body of gas, and knew that there had been an explosion. Their first effort was to put up some brattices which had been blown off by the explosion, hoping that it might possibly have the effect of turning an air current to their domain in the other parts of the mine, but before they had accomplished much they were overcome by gas, and had to be taken up in the cage, one of them being in a very serious condition. Then it was that the news reached the outside world.

The shaft is closed to 300 feet deep and for some time there has been known to be traces of gas in the chambers, but precautionary measures were observed to avoid a disaster. This mine is a new one, and is yet in the early stages of development and for that reason there were no more men at work at the time of the explosion.

Twelve of the 13 bodies have been recovered from the shaft. It is not known whether the remaining body is that of Bell or Noble as the body of the late victim brought to the surface is mutilated beyond recognition.

## A PURSE OFFERED.

**The Bolingbroke Club Would Like Corbett to Meet Mitchell.**

New York, March 23.—The United Press's dispatch of last night announcing that Secretary George Stevens of the Bolingbroke club had offered a purse of $12,000 for a fight between Corbett and Mitchell, to take place before that club in London was confirmed by a cable dispatch received to-day by Richard K. Fox of the Police Gazette from London, signed by George W. Atkinson, editor of London Sporting Life. The dispatch reads as follows:

To Richard K. Fox, Police Gazette, New York.—London, March 23.—Bolingbroke club offers $12,000 for Mitchell and Corbett with $500 expenses. Mitchell accepts. Does Corbett? ATKINSON.

Mr. Austin, sporting editor of The Police Gazette, commenting on the dispatch, stated to a United Press reporter that the club had evidently taken Fitzsimmons at his word in his refusal to meet Corbett before the club for a purse of $5,000, and would have nothing further to do with Fitzsimmons, because of the latter's peremptory and emphatic declination of the club's offer.

Mr. Austin expressed some surprise at the offer of such a large purse for a fight between Corbett and a man whom he so easily defeated a short time ago, and could only account for it by the belief that Mitchell still continues to be looked upon as the leading English pugilist.

**What Corbett Says.**

Cincinnati, March 23.—James J. Corbett, when told of the offer of the Bolingbroke club of London for a fight between himself and Mitchell, said: "Let them scratch out Mitchell's name and put in Fitzsimmons and I will sign only too quick. Make that as strong as you like. I want to fight Fitzsimmons. There is nothing whipping Mitchell again. He's too easy. I guess Charlie wants a little advertising. He is coming to America this fall and thinks this a good way to help his game along. The Bolingbroke club is Mitchell's own club, but I'll fight there if Fitzsimmons is the man I am to meet."

**Negro Lynched.**

Shreveport, La., March 24.—Ike Piser, colored, was lynched near Emporia station, on the Shreveport and Houston railway to-day. While two young women were walking home on the railway track near Emporia, yesterday they were insulted by Piser. They protested and he knocked them off the railway track. The enraged neighbors hunted the negro all night and this morning came upon his hiding place.

**Gladstone on Armenia.**

London, March 23.—Mr. Gladstone has written a letter to the Duke of Argyll congratulating him on the work done by the Armenian relief committee. He says he hopes that nobody will suppose that the deplorable and ingominous failure of Europe to do her duty in Armenia will in any way diminish the force of the present appeal to Christian pity. It ought rather to enhance it.

**An Actors' Quarrel.**

New Orleans, March 23.—On Saturday Augustin Daly applied in the Federal Court for an injunction restraining Henry E. Dixey from producing Daly's two plays, "Lottery of Love" and "A Night Off."

To-day Dixey retaliated by the institution of a suit in the State Court against Daly for $25,000 damages for slander.

**Wesley Owings.**

St. Louis, March 23.—Wesley Owings, one of the oldest and best known hotel clerks in the country, died of pneumonia at the La Clede hotel last night, aged 53 years. Mr. Owings had acted as clerk in the La Clede since 1867.

## SENATORS INSIST ON DISAGREEMENT.

### The House Cuban Resolutions Are Not Acceptable.

### OPINIONS HAVE CHANGED.

**Senator Sherman Asks for Another Conference—A Warlike Resolution Proposed by Mr. Mills—Mr. Platt Also Has His Plan.**

Washington, March 23.—Mr. Gallinger, (Rep.) of New Hampshire, presented very numerous petitions and papers from clergymen, medical men and educators in favor of setting apart a government reservation for the benefit of persons suffering from pulmonary diseases in the North, who might be benefitted by a change of climate to the salubrious atmosphere of the Rocky Mountain region; and he introduced a bill setting apart the Fort Stanton military reservation in New Mexico. He spoke in favor of the proposition, which is under the lead of the American Invalid Aid society of Boston. The bill was referred.

**The Cuban Resolutions.**

On motion of Mr. Sherman (Rep.) of Ohio, the conference report on the Cuban resolutions was taken up. Mr. Palmer had just begun his speech against the report when Mr. Sherman broke in with a notice that he would at the conclusion of Mr. Palmer's speech, ask unanimous consent to have the conference report disagreed to and another conference asked for.

Mr. Palmer objected. He recalled the anecdote of the man who ran so fast to get in out of the rain that he fell, and when asked why he ran so fast, said he was afraid the rain would be over before he got into shelter. The application of the anecdote was that he (Mr. Palmer) thought that the matter might be adjusted and withdrawn from the Senate before he would have an opportunity to make his remarks. (Laughter.)

He said the whole undertone of the resolutions was unfriendly to the government of Spain, and that the whole procedure was in a spirit of unfriendliness to the Spanish government. The language employed was undiplomatic. It has given offense and would give offense. Referring to Mr. Sherman's outburst, asking where, out of hell, was there war if there was not war in Cuba, Mr. Palmer said that there was murder there, slaughter, violence, destruction of property, but that was not war. The insurgents were still unorganized. If they were recognized by the United States as belligerents it would follow that the United States conceded that the Spanish government would no longer be held responsible for injuries to the persons and property of American citizens in Cuba and that the United States must hereafter look to the insurgent government for the protection of Americans there, or for damages for wrongs done to them.

**Mr. Mills's Resolution.**

At the close of Mr. Palmer's speech, a joint resolution was introduced by Mr. Mills (Dem.) of Texas directing the President of the United States to request the government of Spain to grant to the people of Cuba the power of local self-government and in case the government of Spain shall refuse to take possession of the island of Cuba and to hold it until its inhabitants can institute such government as they wish to organize and to raise such forces as may be necessary to support it. He gave notice that he would address the Senate to-morrow on that joint resolution.

By unanimous consent the Senate disagreed to the conference report on the Cuban resolutions.

Mr. Sherman then moved that the Senate insist upon its amendments and ask a further conference with the House. That motion, which is debatable, was then discussed by Mr. Allen.

In concluding his speech, Mr. Allen said: "A few days ago Senators were falling over one another to get an opportunity to vote for these Cuban resolutions. There was then a wonderful burst of patriotic sentiment here. Republicans and Democrats (and Populists, a little inspired, too,) wanted to demonstrate to the world that we not only sympathized with Cuba, but were willing, if need be, to afford her substantial aid. And yet our patriotism has been sifting out from that moment till it is very doubtful whether the resolutions can pass to-day. First came the Senator from Maine (Mr. Hale) antagonizing the resolutions. Then came the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. Hoar.) And finally the chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations (Mr. Sherman) has considered, I guess, that it is about time for him to retreat, and we are offered this resolution now to recommit the matter to a conference committee, and I suppose that that will be the end of it."

**The Senate Insists.**

Mr. Sherman's resolution, that the Senate insist upon its disagreement to the House amendment to the resolutions of the Senate in regard to the insurrection in Cuba and ask for a further conference was then agreed to, without a division, and Senators Sherman (Rep.) of Ohio, Morgan (Dem.) of Alabama, and Lodge (Rep.) of Massachusetts were appointed conferees on the part of the Senate.

Mr. George (Dem.) of Mississippi said that he was one of the six Senators who had voted against the original resolutions and he desired to give one reason for his doing so. That was that, in his judgment their subject matter belonged to the executive, and not to the legislative branch of the government. He believed that there was no exigency whatever that could justify or even palliate an assumption by one department of the government of the powers and duties which were, by the constitution, assigned to another and different department.

The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was taken up, but the consideration was interrupted by the offering of a concurrent resolution by Mr. Platt (Rep.) of Connecticut, in relation to Cuba, in these words:

"The Senate hereby expresses its earnest desire and hope that Cuba may soon become a free, independent and republican government and that the friendly offices of the United States shall be offered by the President to the Spanish government to secure such results."

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The consideration of the legislative appropriation bill was proceeded with, and after having disposed of about 30 of the 135 pages of the bill the Senate held a brief executive session and at 5:30 adjourned until to-morrow.

**HOUSE.**

Washington, March 23.—To-day's session of the House was under the rules, given up to District of Columbia business, but the district calendar was soon cleared and the remainder of the session was spent in the consideration of a bill to modify the existing law regarding the punishment of crimes committed under Federal jurisdiction, involving the death penalty, so as to allow a sentence to prison for life. After a three hours' discussion the passage of the bill was frustrated by a point of no quorum made by Mr. Barrett (Rep.) of Massachusetts, and the House adjourned until to-morrow.

The bill authorizing the lease of school lands in Arizona was amended by prohibiting the cutting of timber thereon and limiting the number of acres to each lessee, so as to remove the objections of the President in vetoing a bill on the same lines.

**DOC HOUSE ARRESTED.**

**The People Whose Money He Lost Are Doubtful of Him.**

Doc House, the man who reported to the police of this city and Denver on Saturday that he had lost or been robbed of $2,400, is under arrest. About 6 o'clock last evening the Denver chief of police telephoned Mr. Dana to arrest House if he saw him. He said that the money which House lost did not belong to him, but was the proceeds of sales from a quantity of sheep sent to Kansas City in his charge by the ranchmen out near Deer Trail. They do not like the story and have decided to arrest House. The sheriff at Deer Trail had been notified and was looking for House at his ranch. About 7 o'clock the police were holding a meeting and who should walk into the room but House. It has been his habit to visit them whenever he came to town, as he had lived around here for years and knew the older members. Mr. Dana quietly told him what he wanted, and House said that he had been expecting it.

Capt. Gathright immediately took House on a train and went with him to Denver.

**CUT BY WIRE.**

**One of the Pike's Peak Roadsters Narrowly Escapes Serious Injury.**

R. E. Osborne of the Pike's Peak roadsters met with what narrowly missed being a very serious accident on Sunday afternoon. He and a companion were making a century run to Pueblo. Just north of Pueblo the Gulf road has been fencing the track and the old wagon road lies between the fence and the track. At the end the barbed wire fence has been carried over to the track, directly across the old road.

Osborne took the old road and was scorching to catch up with his companion. He failed to see the fence across the road until too late to jump. His head struck the top wire and the barb tore open the flesh from the bridge of the nose to the top of the head. Mr. Osborne was able to ride to Pueblo and had the wound dressed, then returned to this city by train.

**Took Her Life.**

A Mrs. A. M. Pettengill committed suicide at Fountain Saturday afternoon by taking Rough-on-Rats. The woman secured a divorce from her husband early in the winter on the grounds of cruelty. She has since been living at her home there with her children, but has been quite despondent. She took the opportunity of committing the act in the absence of those who were living in the house with her. She had frequently stated that she intended to do the deed.

Coroner Marlow was notified, but through an error the case was reported at Falcon, and Sunday he went out there. He did not get to Fountain until yesterday, only to learn that the woman had been buried. It seems that a physician of that place had given a certificate of burial, which he had no right to do, and the coroner thinks there was considerable hurry in getting the woman underground.

There has been considerable gossip talk about the case among the residents of Fountain. Some of the citizens intimate that the woman was practically driven to commit the act. As the facts seem plain, however, that the woman voluntarily took the dose, it is hardly probable that the coroner will investigate further.

**District Court.**

In the District Court yesterday both divisions were busy with civil business.

In the second division in the suit of Carey vs. Thomas for an accounting in the ownership of a ranch, Judge Lunt gave an opinion. He intimated that the woman should have something, but that in the shape the suit then was, he would probably not grant it. The parties to the suit then decided to agree upon a judgment which will be satisfactory and which the court will have entered up.

In a suit of the Bankers company vs. Wright the court announced that he would appoint a receiver for the claim in dispute, and gave them until evening to agree upon a satisfactory person.

Judge Lunt announced his decision in the matter of alimony for Mrs. Hanscom. He allowed her $8,000 as her portion of the property of defendant.

The divorce suit of Chambers vs. Chambers, from Cripple Creek, was set for trial April 21.

**Colorado's Convention.**

Chairman Howbert of the Republican State committee, says that from what he could glean at the meeting in Denver last Saturday evening the outlook is very bright for the party in this State this year. It was decided, as announced in the dispatches last Sunday, to hold the convention in Pueblo on the 14th day of May. The chairmen of the Congressional district committees agreed to call the district conventions the day before, so that delegates can attend both, and not lose a great deal more time. The representation in the State convention will be two delegates at large from each county and one delegate for every 150 or major portion thereof of the vote cast at the last election. This gives El Paso county 60 votes in the convention.

Mr. Howbert says that it is important that the organization of the party be kept up close.

**Y. M. C. A. Notes.**

An exceedingly strong and helpful service was held Sunday afternoon at the association rooms. Rev. A. M. Prewitt gave one of his characteristic practical talks to the young men. A very pleasing feature of the service was a cornet duet by Miss McLain and Mr. Lewis. The association orchestra also rendered a very pretty selection. At the close of the service four young men stated their determination to lead Christian lives.

The class in mechanical drawing was organized last evening. It starts out with ten members. The next lesson will be on Thursday evening at 7:30. The drawing instruments will be on hand at that time to be used by the class. All young men who desire to join this should manage to be present at that meeting.

The association "gym" was in busy place last evening. A large class was present. After the drill basket ball was played. This game is very popular with the gymnasium men and deservedly so. A funny incident occurred during the evening. As the men were moving a piece of apparatus preparatory to playing basket ball, a mouse ran out from behind it, scurried across the room and ran up the trousers leg of a young man who sat on one of the mats. There was a lively scramble for a few minutes until the mouse was located and squeezed until he was smothered.

The Juniors have their "gym" drill this afternoon at 4:30. All members are asked to be on hand promptly.

**Supposed a Millionaire.**

Chicago, March 23.—Patrick W. Snowhook, the well known attorney and supposed millionaire, made an assignment in the county court to-day to Homer P. Galvin. The liabilities are placed at $350,000 and the assets at $700,000.

**Alexander T. Kent.**

Brooklyn, March 23.—Alexander T. Kent died at his home in this city to-night. He was 39 years old. Mr. Kent was formerly editor and proprietor of the Sporting World.

## THE RAVAGES OF THREE BIG FIRES.

### A Warehouse and Newspaper Burned Out at Davenport.

### PHILADELPHIA BLOCK BURNED.

**One Half the City of Colon Destroyed—All the Bakeries Were Burned and a Scarcity of Food Threatened—Is a Heavy Loss.**

Davenport, Ia., March 24.—At 11:15 o'clock last night fire broke out in the elevator shaft of the four story building occupied by the Washburn-Halligan Coffee company, at 115 East Second street. The flames spread rapidly, owing to the inflammable nature of the stock.

At 1 o'clock this morning the Washburn-Halligan building is a complete ruin and the plant of the Daily Leader, which occupied the front portion of the west half of the double structure, is in flames and will probably be almost a total loss. The loss on stock of the Washburn-Halligan company is $120,000, insurance $68,000. The loss on building will be about $15,000. The Washburn-Halligan company is one of the largest coffee and spice concerns in the West and has branches at Kansas City, Omaha and St. Louis.

**IN PHILADELPHIA.**

**The Thackara Manufacturing Company Was Burned Out.**

Philadelphia, March 23.—The six-story brick and brown stone building at 1524 and 1526 Chestnut street, was gutted by fire this evening. The building was mainly occupied by the Thackara Manufacturing company, manufacturers of and retail dealers in gas and electric fixtures. Besides the Thackara company the building was only occupied by the offices of two architects, William G. Hale and Lindley Johnson. When the fire fire started 200 men and women were at work in the rooms of the Thackara company on the upper floors, but all got out in safety.

The Thackara company's loss is about $70,000, on which there is an insurance of $37,000.

The stock of Sharpless & Watts, manufacturers of tiles and mosaics, No. 1522 Chestnut street, was damaged by water to the extent of $21,000, fully covered by insurance.

**COLON BURNED.**

**One Half of the Isthmus City Destroyed—A Driving Wind.**

Colon, Colombia, March 23.—A fire started here at 1 o'clock this morning, and before it was got under control half of the city had been burned. The spread of the flames was aided by a strong wind that carried large pieces of burning material onto the roofs of houses which were soon destroyed in a conflagration that at one time threatened to wipe out the entire city.

By 10 o'clock the buildings south of seventh street as far as the market had been destroyed and shortly afterward the market itself was burned. Among the buildings destroyed was Hafeman's pharmacy. It was then considered that the only buildings that were out of danger were the Swiss Casino and the offices of the Pacific Mail Steamship company.

The fire extended down to the railroad station, and for a time that building was in imminent danger, but the firemen thought they might be able to save it. The fire brigade of Panama was asked for aid in fighting the fire, and came here on a special train accompanied by the chief authorities. Traffic on the Panama railroad was completely suspended later in the day.

All the bakeries have been burned and a scarcity of food is threatened. Intense excitement prevails. The captain and crew of the Colombian line steamer Financo rendered valuable aid in checking the spread of the flames. It is impossible as yet to learn the full extent of the loss, but it will be very heavy, probably in excess of $300,000.

**A RAVEN HILL VEIN.**

**Fourteen Feet of Low Grade Ore in the the Ella.**

Special to The Gazette.

Cripple Creek, March 23.—A very good strike has been made in the north end of the Ella on the west slope of Raven hill, near the Jennie Sample lode. The shaft on this portion of the property is 100 feet deep and at the bottom a vein 14 feet wide is disclosed. Assays on this vein show an average value of $12 to the ton while four out of fourteen feet of mineral will average about $35 per ton. Some of the rich specimens taken from the vein have shown values of from $1,000 to $1,800 to the ton. The property is being worked under lease by Messrs. Cummoron and Keith.

On the south end of the same claim another big body of low grade ore has been opened up. The shaft is down 50 feet and consists of a big vein of talc which runs from $8 to $35 to the ton. The lease is owned by Messrs. Pryce and Keith.

The Jennie Sample is showing up as well as ever and has some 20 tons of ore awaiting shipment. This ore, it is estimated, will run anywhere from $200 to $300 per ton. It is now in the bins and will be sent out in a few days.

It is reported that the strike on the Star of Bethlehem is showing up in great shape. This is one of Casey's and it is the general opinion that the wonderful prospector has opened up another great mine.

The Acacia people are of the opinion that the rich vein opened up in the Star of Bethlehem runs across the Burro and are going to do some thorough prospecting for it.

The Doctor mine is increasing its force of men which now numbers 65. The work of sinking still goes on, and the shaft is now below 300 feet. A depth of 400 feet will be reached before a drift will be started, and then another drift will be started. The Doctor is a wonderful mine and some wonderful specimens full of gold, are being brought to the surface.

The Alpha claim, south of this town, has been sold for the neat sum of $40,000. The shaft is down 60 feet, and one of the drifts is in good ore. The vein is from three to four feet wide, and the ore is said to run from $10 to $30 per ton. Those interested in the deal will not talk.

**Failure at St. Louis.**

St. Louis, March 23.—The business circles of this city received a shock this afternoon by the announcement that Kingsland and Douglass, formerly Kingsland and Ferguson, manufacturers of agricultural implements, had gone to the wall. The assets and business of the firm were placed in the hands of Charles W. Dates, attorney for the creditors, under a deed of trust this afternoon.

**Author of "Tom Brown."**

London, March 23.—Thomas Hughes, Q. C., author of "Tom Brown's School Days," "Tom Brown at Oxford," etc., and founder of the British settlement of Rugby, Tenn., is dead, at the age of 73 years.

**The Pope's Illness.**

London, March 24.—The Standard's Rome correspondent telegraphs that the Pope is suffering from insomnia.

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